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WRITTEN PROPONENT TESTIMONY FOR HB 2136

Thank you, Chairwoman Estes, and members of the House Education Committee. I appreciate the opportunity to provide testimony in support of HB 2136, the low-income tax credit student scholarship bill.

I am Jenon Watts, and my children, Abel Watts and Azaria Watts, attend St. Joseph Catholic School. The low-income tax credit scholarship program has provided substantial support to our school and others within our diocese. We place great value on maintaining a diverse student population, as it aligns with our teachings on social justice. Therefore, we believe it is imperative for our state to expand this program.

In conclusion, I respectfully request your support for HB 2136, which would provide children within the Wichita Catholic Diocese and other private schools with access to an education that best meets their needs.

Thank you,
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