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**BILL NUMBER:** Bill HB 2136  
**PROPONENT, OPPONENT, or NEUTRAL:** Opponent  
**ORAL or WRITTEN ONLY TESTIMONY:** Written  
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Chair Estes & Members of the Committee,

I am writing to voice my opposition to bill number HB 2136. I have two children in the public school system (which is already underfunded, thanks to Republicans) so it seems ignorant to me to pull more money away from these students. This will create a hugely negative impact, especially in smaller towns (who have the voters you rely on). I am a recipient of 12 years of Catholic school and I can tell you that my education wasn't as good as it would have been, should I have attended public school. The private schools don't have the same oversight, the teachers don't have as good of credentials and education so everyone loses when you pass these bills. Except for the rich. They will save money and likely will donate more to your campaigns. It's not lost on me how this negatively affects most of your constituents, but helps you. I haven't even gotten started on how this will negatively affect the budget. How will you replace the lost tax money? Proposing this bill is irresponsible and ignorant.

I request confirmation that my testimony has been received and added to the relevant conferee list.

I request that you vote no on bill HB 2136.

Amy Schrumpf-Goode  
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