

Proponent Testimony of SB 87
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Chair Estes and Members of the Committee, thank you for the opportunity to provide proponent testimony in support of Senate Bill 87.

My name is Alexandra Converse and my son (Major) attends All Saints Catholic School in Wichita, KS.

The low income tax credit scholarship program at All Saints Catholic School has significantly helped our students and others in our diocese.

Our school highly values having a diverse population within our walls and as we teach our children about social justice, we feel this is a topic at hand that our state must expand. My family is a proud active duty military family that faces moving every 3 years due to the demands of the career. Without a tax credit scholarship program, many military children would lose the opportunity to gain a well-rounded Catholic education because of the fear of financial strain.

In conclusion, please support SB 87 so the children in the Wichita Catholic Diocese and other private schools have the opportunity for an education that best suits their needs.

Thank you.

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