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TESTIMONY OF CRISTINA FERNANDEZ

Opponent – Senate Bill 256

To: Senate Government Efficiency Committee

Chairperson Erickson, Members of the Committee,

My name is Cristina Fernandez

I have worked for the Kansas PRC for the last 5 and a half years. Since we started working remotely to now I have had two additional children. My 17-year-old graduated high school early and helps me watch my younger two while I work. During my breaks and lunch, I take care of my kids' needs and make sure they get their meals. I'm very responsible with my job and very dedicated to what I do. I have strong communication with my supervisor, and other supervisors in PRC, and can communicate effectively with other workers in PRC. I strongly believe that we can continue to perform our job duties without having to go to work in the office, as we have done for the last 5 years. Unfortunately, if we have to return to the office I will feel forced to leave my job as I will not be able to afford childcare, which puts me in a tight position.

Sincerely,

Cristina Fernandez

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