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The Honorable Joseph J. Solomon, Jr. Chairman, House Corporations Committee Rhode Island State House Providence, RI 02903

Re: OPPOSED to House Bill - H 7082

Dear Chairman Solomon:

On behalf of myself, I am writing in opposition to the proposed legislation H 7082, which would impose a medical loss ratio on dental benefit plans.

Our dental premiums have remained stable, and I have enjoyed excellent coverage. If this bill is passed it would result in less choice and higher premiums, just like what is happening in Massachusetts. I am a MA resident and have friends and family losing under their current plans due to carriers leaving the state.

For these reasons, I strongly oppose the proposed bill.

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Thank you for your consideration of our opposition on this matter.

Sincerely,

Marianne Stanton