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Hearing February 15th, 2024

The Honorable Susan Donovan, Chair of the House Health and Human Services Committee and Members of the Committee

Thank you for considering the views of the League of Women Voters RI

Re: H-7091 -RELATING TO INSURANCE – ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES – LIFETIME LIMITS.

The League of Women Voters RI supports H-7091

The bill before you today would “repeal the authority of the health insurance commissioner to enforce any act of the United States Congress or a federal court decision that invalidates or repeals the prohibition of annual and lifetime limits on health insurance contained in the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act as it pertains to this state”. This would prevent congressional members who would like to dismantle the ACA from affecting the health care of Rhode Islanders. The Governor signed into law in 2023 The individual Health Care Coverage codifying the benefits guaranteed by the federal Affordable Health Care Act to protect the health care of Rhode Islanders. This law further protects Rhode Islanders financially.

The League of Women Voters Rhode Island is in partnership with the Coalition for Reproductive Freedom supporting the passage of this bill.

Thank you,

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