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Education, Energy and Environment Committee

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SB388

Support

Cindy Carter
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Good afternoon, Chair and committee of Education, Energy and Environment.

I am Cindy Carter Co-Founder of Critical medical needs Program and Executive Director of Cancer Support Foundation. I am writing in support of SB388.

Students identified with behavioral health challenges and their families are part of the states vulnerable population that we work with through the several programs in which we are involved.

Parents are working with the school for their children each day. This seems the logical place to start with communication and connection with services. Education can be for the whole family.

People are not aware of what is available and what to do. The questionnaire is a great start to get the basic needs identified and develop towards getting these families into the services they need..

We are in support of SB388 and are asking for a favorable report.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Cindy Carter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Cindy Carter
Critical Medical Needs Program
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