North Dakota Legislative Council

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Dear Members of the ND HB 1532 Committee,

My name is Lu Jin, I live in DISTRICT 43, Grand Forks, ND, and I am an engineer in the University of North Dakota.

I support ND HB 1532.

My son is a student at St. Michael's Catholic School in Grand Forks, ND and he likes the school very much as he has many nice teachers and good friends there. Teachers in Catholic schools are very responsible and patient with students to make sure that all students meet the state educational standard. My son not only learns science and arts but also learns about different cultures in St. Michael's Catholic School.

Currently, some public schools are short of teachers, Catholic schools can help to reduce the pressure on the public school system by offering high-quality education so that all students have a better chance to get a good education in both public and private schools.

Education is one of the most important components for the future of the state. Therefore, I urge you to vote in favor of ND HB 1532 and support the Catholic schools in North Dakota.

I appreciate your dedicated service to the state of North Dakota!

Yours sincerely,

Lu Jin