ACTION ALERT: SUPPORT Senate Bill 329

This bill would create significant checks and balances on Ohio's many Boards and Commissions, which includes the **Ohio Board of Dietetics.** Please contact the Senators below by September 26th to ask for their yes vote on SB 329 in committee. Then contact your own state senator and ask for his or her yes vote when SB 329 comes up on Sept 28th for a floor vote

- SB 329 would institute checks and balances against occupational licensing being too easily used to serve private interests under the banner of "protecting the public".

- The OH Dietetics Law and the Dietetics Board have kept hundreds of qualified practitioners from being legally employed in OH for several decades. This law keeps nutrition practitioners from moving to Ohio and forces many others to abandon the state or their profession. SB 329 would help stop this kind of regulatory abuse that hurts citizens.

- The OH Dietetics Board is controlled by and for the interests of the holders of a single, private credential, the Registered Dietitian®. We need the checks and balances SB 329 would create.

SB 329 will open the Ohio Dietetics Law and other occupational laws to the scrutiny they need and the public deserves. Please vote YES on SB 329.

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