

Chairman Manning, Vice Chair Dean, Ranking Member Lepore-Hagan and members of the House Commerce and Labor Committee, thank you for the opportunity to submit written testimony in support of HB 442.

My name is Adam Boesinger. I learned, just last week, that Representative Roemer is proposing a bill that would impact me, as a current accounting student at Ohio University. I shared his legislation with my entire class and we are universally supportive of this bill. The ability for me to take this test after completing my undergraduate degree is very important to me and my fellow classmates. The CPA is a very practical license, but the 150 credit hour requirement to sit for the exam severely hampers attainability for students. I'm hoping to remain in Ohio after graduation, and HB 442 would assist me in doing this.

Thank you again Chairman Manning, Vice Chair Dean, Ranking Member Lepore-Hagan and members of the House Commerce and Labor Committee for this opportunity.