



FINANCE COMMITTEE

WITNESS FORM

COMMITTEE DATE: 5/23/19

NAME: Ohio Business College Truck Driving Academy

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ORGANIZATION REPRESENTING: Ohio Business College Truck Driving Academy

TESTIFYING ON BILL NUMBER: Sub. H.B. 166

TESTIMONY TYPE: WRITTEN

TESTIFYING AS: INTERESTED PARTY

FOR BUDGET TESTIMONY ONLY:

TESTIMONY TOPIC: HIGHER EDUCATION

TESTIFYING ON BUDGET ITEM(S): OhioMeansJobs Workforce Development Revolu

DID YOU TESTIFY IN A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE? NO

ARE YOU A REGISTERED LOBBYIST? NO

SPECIAL REQUESTS:

- SUBMIT -

Written testimony is a public record and may be posted on the Ohio Senate's website.

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Ms. Totodo:

Ohio Business College Truck Driving Academy is a proud recipient of the Revolving Loan Program for our Class A CDL program. This program has made it possible to us to provide continuing trade education and assure future careers for many students over the past several years. Our students come from a diversity of backgrounds and financial statuses, and the Revolving Loan Program makes it possible for us to continue to provide quality skills and education to students who otherwise could not afford it.

For many of our students, this allows them the chance to better their lives as well as their families. This program allows a student to become employed in just 4 weeks. I've personally seen the pride on their faces as they realize the accomplishment they've made by taking this first step into adult responsibility and into their future careers. It is empowering to watch the students' growth through our program, from their fear when first enrolling in our program and signing the loan paperwork, to the sense of accomplishment as I watch them hold their Certificate of Completion and CDL license. Without the Revolving Loan Program, many of these students would not be able to take this next step into their new future. The Revolving Loan Program truly gives a chance of a fresh start and has led many students into their new career. Please accept our continued support of the Revolving Loan Program, and our appreciation for the ability to provide this opportunity to our students.

Sincerely,



Eric Roller
VP Finance
Ohio Business College