CATHOLIC CONFERENCE OF OHIO

November 27, 2017

The Honorable John Eklund Ohio Senate Ways and Means Committee Statehouse, Rm 143 Columbus. Ohio 43215

Dear Chairman Eklund,

I am writing on behalf of the Catholic Bishops of Ohio and the Superintendents of Schools of the six dioceses concerning our support for S.B. 226. We believe this bill will provide parents of school aged children some well deserved financial relief in getting their youngsters prepared to return to school each year.

We were pleased with the success of the previous sales tax holidays. We support making this a permanent program.

Sincerely,

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