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Dear Senator Sirotkin,

On behalf of the Vermont State Labor Council AFL CIO I write to ask you to restore balance to the Vermont Labor Board. The composition of the Board two members from, labor management and two neutral members have served the Labor Board well. Both workers and employers should feel their voices are to be heard by a fair and impartial panel. Government should work for the people not against the people. The presence of Ms. O'Neill with her longstanding relationships in the management community do not qualify her to sit in a neutral seat. She is genuinely qualified to sit in a management seat. We applaud the choice of a woman but certainly there are a number of women in Vermont qualified to sit in a neutral chair.

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In Unity,

Jill Charbonneau, President Vermont State Labor Council

