TESTIMONY OF
THE CONNECTICUT PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION (PTA)

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PROPOSED BILL NUMBER 7312- AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT WITH STUDENTS.

My name is Judy Goldberg, Vice President of Government Relations for the Connecticut Parent Teacher Association. The Connecticut Parent Teacher Association (PTA) and its over 38,000 members is submitting this written testimony in support of Proposed Bill 7312.

CT PTA supports a task force to study issues related to best practices in parent involvement and we are ready and eager to participate in this process.

About Connecticut PTA

Connecticut PTA comprises over 38,000 members consisting of families, students, teachers, administrators, and business and community leaders devoted to the educational success of children and the promotion of parent involvement in schools and well-being of children. PTA is a registered 501(c) (3) nonprofit association that prides itself on being a powerful voice for all children, a relevant resource for families and communities, and a strong advocate for public education, children’s health and child welfare. Membership in PTA is open to anyone who wants to be involved and make a difference for the education, health and welfare of children and youth.