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To: Members of the House Education Policy Committee

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Chair Richardson and members of the committee, my name is Gina Kristufek and I am a lifelong Minnesota resident. I provide this statement in support of HF 2750, which would provide access to menstrual products in Minnesota school bathrooms.

I'm writing in support of HF 2750 Menstrual Product Access.

I believe that Minnesota's schools should have menstrual products available for our students in grades 4-12. School lavatories should be equipped with the basics: menstrual products, toilet paper, water, soap, mirrors, urinals and toilets.

I've worked at Roseville Area High School for nine years and can attest that the unavailability of menstrual products keeps some of our most vulnerable students at home a few days each month. We need these young minds in school every day.

Please support funding for this basic hygiene need.