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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 Katie Wegman and I am a senior at Delano High School. I provide this statement in support of HF 2750, which would provide access to menstrual products in Minnesota school bathrooms.

There is clearly a problem that females of all ages are dealing with, yet there is a rather simple solution that is not being acted on to help the issue. I can't count the amount of times that I have gotten my period in school without having a menstrual product in my possession. It's embarrassing to have to bleed, walking around the school, asking other girls if they have any menstrual products in order to stop your embarrassment and flow.