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September 12, 2018

Honorable Jerry Brown  
Governor of California  
Capitol Building, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**RE: AB 2122 (REYES) – REQUEST FOR SIGNATURE**

Dear Governor Brown:

Disability Rights California (DRC), a non-profit advocacy organization that advances and protects the rights of Californians with disabilities, **supports AB 2122 and request your signature.**

We support the improvements this bill will bring to identifying and treating childhood lead poisoning. Requiring Medi-Cal managed care contracts to include coverage makes sense. Lead exposure is very toxic, and the laws have evolved over the last 40 years consistent with the increased scientific knowledge about the link between lead poisoning and developmental delays, cognitive problems, and behavior issues.

For these reasons, DRC supports this bill and requests your signature. Please contact me if you have any questions about our position or if I can provide any further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Deb Roth', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Deb Roth  
Senior Legislative Advocate  
Disability Rights California

cc: Honorable Eloise Gomez Reyes, California State Assembly  
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