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April 3, 2018

Honorable Scott Wiener
Chair, Human Services Committee
California State Senate
Capitol Building, Room 4066
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: SB 1040 (DODD) – SUPPORT

Dear Senator Wiener:

Disability Rights California (DRC), a non-profit advocacy organization that advances and protects the rights of Californians with disabilities, **supports SB 1040**. This bill is scheduled for hearing in the Senate Human Services Committee on April 10, 2018.

During times of disaster, such as the recent California wildfires, it is imperative that California provide the flexibility to utilize existing care systems to help people in need, especially IHSS recipients.

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 Bill Dodd, California State Senate
Marisol Prieto-Valle, Legislative Aide, Office of Senator Beall
Honorable Members, Senate Human Services Committee
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