

Written testimony of Denise Lillis on HF1684

Good morning,

My name is Denise Lillis, I have been a Driver's Education instructor for the Perham School District for over 30 years. I don't think those that are considering the instructor less option for the classroom phase of driver's education have thought about the possible future consequences this may have on our young drivers. And we will not know until it is too late. The interaction that takes place in the classroom between the students and instructors is invaluable. If anyone thinks that a student will log on to an instructor less class and actually learn simply by showing test results, has not thought this through. Sometimes it is not about convenience, it's about keeping our young drivers safe on the roads. With fatality rates on the rise, why would we let this happen?

I ask you to NOT let this happen.

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