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Both of my children benefited from a high quality education at a small public charter school. The fact that this school was able to operate independently with flexibility is what makes it successful. More regulation and more bureaucracy is not always best. It is sad that the current Governor promotes himself as pro-education, yet he seems to segregate out children like mine who attended a public charter school. I guess only those students who attend school in the traditional system are deserving of additional funding and lack of accountability and oversight. If I wasn't happy with my children's charter school experience, I would have moved them elsewhere. Adding more regulation for public charter schools is NOT the answer. Since the Governor couldn't get his way with our elected representatives in the state legislature, it appears he will once again try to dictate from Harrisburg what is best for my family. Wrong. Please oppose these new regulations.

Thank you!

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