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Dear Ms. Fisher,

I would like to take this opportunity to apologize to you, your organization, membership and interested individuals regarding my comments yesterday in the Washington State House Health Care and Wellness Committee.

My off-the-cuff remark during the committee meeting was inappropriate and a poor attempt at banter. I understand why my words are hurtful to people who care passionately about this issue. All I can say at this point is that I am deeply sorry.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Norm Johnson".

Rep. Norm Johnson  
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