

The Design Alliance

A R C H I T E C T S

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The Honorable Mark Gergely
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RE: Licensing for Interior Designers

Mr. Gergely,

I write this letter in support of the above legislation. I have been a Principal at The Design Alliance Architects for the last nine years. During that time, at least one other partner has been an interior designer.

I speak from experience that the professionalism, the sensitivity to client needs and the concern for consumer safety exhibited by my interior design partners cannot be exceeded. These individuals have acquired the education and experience to set themselves apart from all who can currently call themselves interior designers without the same accomplishments. Licensing will finally allow my partners and the many extremely talented interior designers I my firm to separate themselves from so many others who pretend to have their skills.

Sincerely,



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