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good day hope this finds you well, I'm sending you this email because of the new building code that wants only 5 children 0-36 months now in childcare, this would kill my business and many other child care providers, these are the things were already dealing with, 2 years ago I use to have quite a few 4 year olds, now many providers and myself have none due to the new TK program that now takes 4 years old my sole income at this point is based on my 2- and 3-year-olds, and some infants less than 24 months, I'm a senior trying to survive, as you know kamala Harris in now going to propose universal preschool for 3-year-old. now what that means for a childcare provider as me and many others in this industry is that we will be relying on our 2year-olds enrolled to help us survive when that goes in effect, if this new building code goes through allowing only 5 children ages 0-36 in a child care, you will be forcing millions of folks like myself out of business, so I'm strongly asking you to rethink this proposal as it is not good for parents, daycare providers, the childcare industry over all, this measure will hurt more than it helps. Tonda Padgett - Padgett family daycare (aka) bright dreams family daycare in riverside, ca 92505 Lic # 334845312