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December 22, 2021

Governor Ned Lamont Office of the Governor 210 Capitol Avenue Hartford, CT 06106

Governor Lamont:

Today I am writing to you to request that the Executive Branch immediately open additional Covid-19 testing sites.

As the state experiences the peak of the holiday visiting season, there have been incredibly long lines at the existing testing sites and a near impossibility of acquiring at-home test kits over the internet.

I am encouraged and impressed to see the rate at which our citizens are seeking to ensure the safety and health of themselves and their loved ones, so I am asking you, Governor Lamont, to act in your emergency authority to do what's necessary to provide more access and availability to testing centers to support the concerns and needs of our residents.

I wish you and your family a safe and happy finish to 2021.

Sincerely,

State Senator Tony Hwang

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Ranking Member, Public Health Committee

Cc: Commissioner Manisha Juthani