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## American Nurses Association Political Action Committee Endorses Katie Hill in California's 25<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

The American Nurses Association Political Action Committee (ANA PAC) today announced its endorsement of Katie Hill in her campaign to represent California's 25<sup>th</sup> Congressional District.

"As a social worker and the daughter of a registered nurse, Katie Hill will be a powerful advocate for nurses and the nursing profession on Capitol Hill," said Phillip Bautista, BSN, RN, PhN, President of ANA California. "Her background gives her a unique perspective to understand the compassion, hard work, and responsibility that nurses bring to their jobs every day."

"My mother and both grandmothers are registered nurses who spent their entire careers in critical care," Hill said. "Nurses are the backbone of our healthcare system and I'm proud to stand with an organization as well respected as ANA to fight for the best possible care for everyone in our communities."

"Katie Hill's personal and professional experiences have shown her that input from nurses is crucial to crafting effective health policy," Bautista said. "She will be a strong voice for every nurse and patient in the 25<sup>th</sup> district. We are proud to support her and her campaign."

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The <u>American Nurses Association</u> (ANA) is the premier organization representing the interests of the nation's 3.6 million registered nurses. ANA advances the nursing profession by fostering high standards of nursing practice, promoting a safe and ethical work environment, bolstering the health and wellness of nurses, and advocating on health care issues that affect nurses and the public. ANA is at the forefront of improving the quality of health care for all. For more information, visit <u>www.nursingworld.org</u>.

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