

LATE TESTIMONY

TESTIMONY OF MAR LABRADOR
VICE PRESIDENT, HORIZON LINES, LLC
TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH
ON FEBRUARY 16, 2011
REGARDING SB1179

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Chair Green and members of the committee, I am Mar Labrador, Vice President of Horizon Lines and I am testifying in opposition to SB1179.

My grounds for opposition of this bill is principally based on my great concern that business can not afford to be further impacted by new and higher taxes. And more specifically, locally-owned small business will be the most affected.

This tax will hurt hundreds of local workers in the beverage industry; bottlers/canners, truckers, plant workers, delivery drivers, wholesalers and retailers who already feel the pinch of a weakened economy will see further impact to their already stressed operations.

Thank you for considering my testimony.