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Dear Chair <u>Helm</u>, Vice Chair <u>Reschke</u>, Vice Chair <u>Schouten</u> and Members of the Committee:

Everyone has a right to clean air! For that reason I urge you to support HB 2007 which will reduce diesel pollution.

However, strong amendments are necessary: the law should NOT allow 10 years for compliance to begin, and it should NOT allow loopholes for new trucks with old engines ("glider" trucks).

I get asthma whenever I get a cold or flu, and diesel air pollution exacerbates my difficulty breathing. More importantly, my 5 year old grandson needs to be protected from dirty air.

Please strengthen HB 2007 and require earlier compliance.

Thank you,

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