



Hartley Insurance, Inc.

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Re: Strong Opposition to Section 5 of HB 3160

House Committee on Veterans and Emergency Management

Mr. Chair and Members of the Committee:

My name is Douglas Hartley, AAI, CIC of Hartley Insurance, Inc. in Silverton. I strongly oppose Section 5 of HB 3160, which mandates a surcharge of \$10 for each policy of insurance, either property or casualty.

My customers absolutely do not want to pay more for their insurance. Some of them just cannot afford it, even a \$10 increase. And my auto consumers will surely object to paying for property losses when they are not even remotely responsible!

If you remove Section 5 this might be a good bill. Get the funds from the General Fund, which is the fairest solution.

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