## YES on SB43 Testimony from Michael Diallo

Senate Finance and Revenue 900 Court Street NE Salem, OR 97301

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Dear Senate Finance and Revenue Committee,

I'm writing to urge you to **vote YES on SB43** pertaining to labor rebates and tax credits for media production.

I've worked in the film and TV industry as a graphic designer for 4 years, and have had the opportunity to work on some great Portland shows: First Cow, Shrill, Trinkets, The Birch, Timmy Failure are a few examples.

The film incentives program gives shows like these life in the state of Oregon, where I was born. Because of these incentives I have not had to move to another state to work in the film industry.

Please **vote YES on SB43** to extend these critical programs for our local production industry. It supports my livelihood.

Thank You,

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