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House Committee on Economic Development, Small Business, and Trade
Oregon State Capitol
900 Court Street NE
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Dear Members of the House Committee on Economic Development, Small Business, and Trade,

I am writing in support of HB3329. As a ten-plus year veteran of the film industry as an Assistant Director based in Portland, I can attest to the profound impact that expanding the OPIF will have on the local film industry.

An increase in OPIF would make Oregon an even more attractive location for film and television productions. This would not only bring more opportunities to our state but also allow workers like me to stay close to our families, contributing to Oregon's economic growth without the need to constantly relocate for out-of-state projects.

The ability to work more consistently in Oregon would also allow me to increase my earnings and, in turn, provide more stability for my family. My goal is to be able to purchase a home here in Portland and continue to contribute to the state's economy in a meaningful way.

I urge you to support HB3329 and help create a brighter future for Oregon's film industry and the hardworking individuals who rely on it for their livelihoods.

Sincerely,



Magdalene Serpa
Assistant Director



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