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On Behalf Of:

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Hello, I'm here to put on the record that I oppose the proposed tax hikes. Our industry has been hit hard since the pandemic. Between rising COGs, the increases in minimum wage, the increases for CAT and taxes going up in general. It is near impossible to survive in this climate and now on top of tariffs that would affect the costs of grain, cans, kegs and food, we have another tax to worry about. I employ 25 people and have paid taxes on the >\$6M in revenue we've done in the last 6 years, yet we are not profitable. If you make it so we can't survive, you will lose the revenue in taxes that you are currently receiving from so many in our industry

Thank you,
George Johnson
Assembly Brewing