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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB702

I strongly oppose SB702 because this bill will hurt many businesses. Small shops that sell vape products depend on those sales to survive. If these products are banned, many businesses will suffer financially, which could lead to employee layoffs, wage cuts, or even permanent closures.

It also doesn't make sense that only liquor stores would be allowed to sell vapes, when these products have no relation to alcohol. This bill creates a monopoly by allowing only liquor stores to sell flavored tobacco products, while banning all other retailers. That's not a fair market—it's favoritism.

Please vote no on SB702. It will do more harm than good.