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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

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SB702

Hello Senator Meek, vice chair Mclane and committee,

My name is Mandeep Saggar and I am a franchisee of 7-11 store. It is no brainer to keep all tobacco, nicotine, Marijuana or any alcoholic products away from kids or Teenagers. Keeping kids safe is our priority too. I keep some alcohol at home for myself, where 2 of my kids also live with me. I always educate them the consequences of these products. I set examples of responsible person who enjoys his drinks in company and by never mixing driving with alcohol.

I still oppose this bill, because I have been responsible vendor by carding before selling these products, we only sell FDA approved products, by taking it off from our stores, we are not cutting the demand of the products and we know that liquor stores are not equipped or ready handle all the demand and the option gonna be to go online and buy those products, which are not FDA approved and will encourage illicit market and not to mention loss of revenue for the state.

And Data shows we have been more responsible vendors than olcc store.

I urge our lawmakers to oppose the bill.

Thank you