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On Behalf Of: Comfort Suites  
Committee: House Committee On Revenue  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4148

To Whom it may Concern:

My name is Greg Johnson, General Manager at the Comfort Suites Eugene – University. I am writing this concerning the proposed increase in Lodging taxes. Us hoteliers are having a hard enough time trying to get people to stay here without an increase in taxes. Eugene is a special town that has the benefits of having the University of Oregon here with all of its amenities and facilities. If we are to continue to be a destination for large groups and other athletic competitions, increasing the tax rate will make our jobs that much more difficult, especially during these times of lower hotel business.

Please take the time to listen to those of us in the hospitality industry and know that while we do our best, we expect the same from our legislatures. I thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

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