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To:	Sen Burdick; Rep Bailey; Sen Morse; Rep Berger; Longacre Julia
Subject:	Duct Sealing Tax Credit
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Good Morning,

I am a small business owner in Eugene. Our Home Performance business focuses our efforts on residential duct and building shell air sealing.

While reviewing HB 3671-1 I noticed that in Section 62 duct sealing and ductless heat pumps have not been included for the residential tax credit. I urge you to include these credits as they are imperative to home owners looking into these energy efficiency upgrades. Duct Sealing is one of the most cost effective improvements a home owner can make. Duct sealing is practically all labor, which means the cost associated with these jobs is almost completely transferred to wages for employees. Duct sealing is also the smallest cost to the RETC program.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

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