

Committee Staff,

Please include in the record the attached emails from Mark Eberhard, of Eberhard Dairy concerning his support for the -A9 amendments to HB 3125.

Thank you for your assistance.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

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From: **Tami Kerr** <tami.kerr@oregondairyfarmers.org>

Date: Wed, Jun 17, 2015 at 2:18 PM

Subject: Fwd: HB 3125 - Dairy Processor Inclusion from Eberhard's Dairy

To: Tammy Dennee <tdennee.odfa@gmail.com>

Tammy,

Just received the two emails from Eberhard's. Can you send them on so they are officially on record?

Thanks so much,

Tami

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Michelle Bowie" <mbowie@eberhardsdairy.com>

Date: June 17, 2015 at 1:48:55 PM PDT

To: <Sen.MarkHass@state.or.us>, <Sen.BrianBoquist@state.or.us>,

<Sen.HermanBaertschiger@state.or.us>, <Sen.ChrisEdwards@state.or.us>, <Sen.ChuckRiley@state.or.us>
Cc: "Mark Eberhard" <meberhard@eberhardsdairy.com>, <tami.kerr@oregondairyfarmers.org>
Subject: RE: HB 3125 - Dairy Processor Inclusion from Eberhard's Dairy
Reply-To: <mbowie@eberhardsdairy.com>

Thank you for your consideration in placing Dairy Processors back into the HB 3125 bill. Please note you can reply back to this email, or my direct information is:

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From: Michelle Bowie [<mailto:mbowie@eberhardsdairy.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2015 7:49 AM
To: 'Sen.MarkHass@state.or.us'; 'Sen.BrianBoquist@state.or.us'; 'Sen.HermanBaertschiger@state.or.us'; 'Sen.ChrisEdwards@state.or.us'; 'Sen.ChuckRiley@state.or.us'
Cc: Mark Eberhard
Subject: HB 3125 - Dairy Processor Inclusion from Eberhard's Dairy
Importance: High

Good Morning,

I'm writing this morning to urge you to place Dairy Processors back into the HB 3125 bill for property tax exemption.

As Co-Owner of Eberhard's Dairy in Redmond, Oregon, we supply employment for 50 local residents and provide locally made dairy products to hundreds of Central Oregon companies.

Including Dairy Processors in the HB 3125 is good for local businesses such as ours that work hard to keep Oregon's economy strong.

Dairy Processors were included in the original bill and the benefits received will have a direct and meaningful impact on our local economy; it will have a direct and meaningful impact on the 50 people we employ and the communities we service.

Thank you,

Mark Eberhard

Owner/General Manager

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