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RE: SB 115

To: Senate Committee On Environment and Natural Resources

February 14, 2017

Honored Chair and Committee Members,

As president of the Experimental Aircraft Association Chapter 105 and an aircraft owner, I strongly urge you to not pass SB 115. This would victimize all craft utilizing avgas with no alternative in site. The entire aviation community has been advocating for an alternative fuel even though there is no real data of measurable environmental impact caused by piston aircraft using low lead fuel (avgas). The market place has not kept up with the demand. SB 115 would cause punitive financial harm to a group that has no control over availability of a non-leaded option for aircraft.

In the future there may be a need for the Bill, but it is premature with no alternative available. I urge you again to not pass this bill.

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