Dear Co-Chairs Roblan,

Taxing receipts, including business-to-business purchases of supplies, raw materials and equipment, encourages companies to become less efficient by bringing all those transactions in-house or moving them out-of-state. Innovative in-state businesses are put at a disadvantage because their products will have multiple taxes embedded in the final price to consumers.

We in the Oregon Coastal Zone are not secure enough to have more taxation applied to us. Protect us as we know you can and will.

Sincerely,

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