House Committee on Revenue 900 Court Street NE Salem, OR 97301

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Dear House Committee on Revenue,

I'm writing to urge you to **vote YES on HB 3244** to expand the Oregon Production Incentive Fund (OPIF) from \$14 million to \$20 million. This program is critical to keeping our state competitive for film, TV, commercials, and other digital media.

I have been working as a sound mixer for the last decade, on projects ranging from full scale hollywood feature films, to television, commercial, corporate and documentaries.

Keeping a healthy tax incentive is critical for bringing new projects in, contributing jobs and keeping Oregon's film community employed.

Please vote YES on HB 3244 to expand OPIF and increase media production jobs and spending in our state.

Regards,

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