

February 25, 2024

RE: SB 1596

Dear Committee Members,

I encourage your positive action in regard to this Right to Repair bill. I have approached this subject with caution and have evaluated a variety of source material, some of which has come to me in my role as a member of the Joint Committee on Information Management and Technology.

This legislation has evolved to a point where it can be landmark legislation for our sister states. A variety of perspectives have been considered and applied to result in a comprehensive set of standards which will serve the needs of the public while also protecting the legitimate needs of industry.

Sincerely,

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