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Attn: Senator Fasano
Representative Klarides

The Greater Manchester Chamber of Commerce is made up of nearly 600 businesses from Manchester and the surrounding areas. Represented within our Chamber are large manufacturers to the small Mom and Pop businesses. These businesses have experienced detrimental tax hikes that they can no longer withstand. We have seen too many businesses make the difficult decision to shut their doors forever, not only losing another business but laying off residents of Connecticut. These residents live paycheck to paycheck, cutting essential necessities from their lives.

The Governor needs to restore vital social service programs and reform taxes in the interest of the taxpayer, consumers, businesses, non-profits and municipalities. Connecticut cannot continue to function in this manner, there has to be a better way!

We support "A Blueprint for Prosperity" which does not call for any new taxes.

Regards,

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