

Dear House Finance Committee,

As a marine business owner, I am opposed to H-6256. Rhode Island is a difficult state to operate a business. One benefit we have in the RI Marine industry, is the tax benefits to our customers. This attracts boaters from other states and fuels our business. We generate a tremendous amount of (RI) sales tax revenue for new equipment that we install on boats purchased and moored in RI.

Sincerely,

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