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To Whom it May concern,

Please include this letter into public record to be included in any hearing, studies, and or reports pertaining to this issue.

Dear Committee on Personnel and Animal Welfare,

My name is Aaron Wells. I am Wild Animal for the Motion Picture Industry for over three years. I have also been an active member of the Southwestern Herpetologists Society for over 10 years. I care for and train over 100 different types of reptiles and mammals.

I currently work as a Wild Animal Trainer which is a direct conflict with your agenda. We love our animals and take the upmost care of each one. We make sure that our animals are given enough attention and checked on a daily basis for any potential problem.

As an active member of the Southwestern Herpetologists for over 10 years. I have participated in over a hundred educational events. During these events, I would bring my animals to both public, private, and governmental events. I have educated various fire departments in order to safely move rattlesnakes without killing them. At these events, I show people the important role reptiles play in the environment and how to admire reptiles instead of fearing them.

If this agenda is passed it would be unfortunate for future generations, who won't have the opportunity to learn about the wildlife outside their homes.

Thank you for your time.

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