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Dear Ms. Hammond,

I'm a local fused glass artist and regular customer of Bullseye Glass. They employ wonderful, caring, helpful people, who are happy in their work--which is an indication of the same qualities in the owners of the company. Bullseye Glass has a long history of responsible operation, and they are already hard at work making changes to reduce any possible environmental impact from their cadmium glass production. I stand with Bullseye Glass in its efforts to continue operations as a responsible citizen of the social and business community of Portland, Oregon.

Regulatory decisions must be based on science, not political issues. A leading scientist, Dr. LaCourse, has said Bullseye's furnaces do not produce toxic chromium. Furthermore, if that type of toxic chromium were to be produced in their furnaces, the glass would be ruined!

We urge DEQ to rely on science and fact, and not to rush to impose these poorly written and misdirected rules.

Most sincerely,

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