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Gentlemen and Ladies:

I have been a user of Bullseye Glass for 25 plus years.
I have worked in there facility for hundred of hours.

Neither DEQ or EPA have required any other US producer, of green glass, to entirely and arbitrarily stop their production without notice and perform the kind of extensive testing and modeling that DEQ is asking for. A typical green bottle manufacturer uses 1,000 times more Cr(III) per year than Bullseye Glass. A bottle producer, with emission controls, would melt more Cr(III) each day than Bullseye uses in a year.

I understand the publics concern but I beg you to look at the **science and the possibility of loss of income to employees not only in the Portland area but around the world.** The effects are not just to the glass manufacture but to the artist, builders and end consumers like yourself.

Bullseye glass has a long history of responsible operation. 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. We urge DEQ to rely on science and fact, and not to rush to impose these poorly written and misdirected rules.

Please allow the law to do what we have voted for our officials to do and **not react to media hype.**

Sincerely,

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