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Greetings, Committee Members,

Thank you for being part of this fiscal advisory committee. If you haven't yet, please mark your calendar for our meeting at 9am on Friday, May 27th.

I'm reaching out now to gather data, especially from the 5 glass manufacturing businesses subject to the rule. You're not required to give me any data, but the fiscal impact statement will be a more accurate estimate if you do.

Basically, the goal of this exercise is to estimate the fiscal impact difference between these two scenarios:

Scenario 1: the world if there were no temporary or permanent art glass rule
Scenario 2: the world if the temporary art glass rule is made permanent

The 5 art glass companies may have already done some analysis of how they'll comply with the art glass rule, and how much that will cost. If you're willing to share all or part of that information with me, that would be very helpful. That could be by email or phone, or in person if that would be convenient. A site visit might help me understand how your processes work. (I would be visiting for the purposes of this fiscal impact estimate, and not as an inspector or other role.)

The rulemaking process includes an analysis of the impact on small business, which they define as businesses with 50 employees or less. If you can tell me your # of employees, that will also be helpful.

Please contact me if you have data you'd like to provide.

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