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Written Testimony in SUPPORT of SB 131

Chairman and members of the Environment and Transportation Committee, I am here to introduce and voice my support for Senate Bill 131 – *State Highways – Commercial Signs in Rights-of-Way – Penalties*.

Senate Bill 131 would increase the maximum civil penalty applicable to a violation for affixing a commercial sign to a State highway sign, signal, or marker in the State highway right-of-way to \$100 per commercial sign affixed and would clarify certain language establishing a civil penalty for a violation of the prohibition against placing or maintaining commercial signs in a State highway right-of-way.