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As a producer of high quality tempeh made from soybeans grown and processed in Maine, we fully support LD 1252. It provides a landmark opportunity and sustained funding source for critical businesses in the state's iconic agriculture, food and forest products industries, enabling them to grow/innovate. It fills a gap in needed capital and comes at a time when Maine's food system infrastructure and resilience needs all the help it can get. We have been making great progress over the past few years and don't want to lose this important momentum. Thank you.