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LD 1350

I VERY STRONGLY URGE you to vote OUGHT NOT TO PASS on LD1350, An Act to Ban Corporate Contributions to Candidates. At first glance I would say that this bill is UNCONSTITUTIONAL. I don't know of any law that says that a business owner cannot give a donation to whoever you want. according to the FEC, unless you are a Corporation, a labor union, a federal contractor, or a foreign national, you are allowed to contribute towards a candidate running for office. This bill states "firms, partnerships, incorporated associations, other for-profit and non-profit entity." All these types of businesses are allowed to donate. I think there needs to be more homework done before passing this ambiguous legislation. The FEC laws already cover LD1350. Please vote OUGHT NOT TO PASS as it is a bad piece of legislation. Thank you!