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Testimony of Becky Latimer Kreczko in Support of HB 5596 An Act Concerning the Right to Dry

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Madam/Sir:

I actively support the right of individuals to dry clothes outdoors, using no fossil fuel and saving money. It is a shame to have legislation that forces individuals to waste energy in the form of electric dryers, when those individuals are willing to forgo the use of them. I feel we are at a turning point--to protect the environment perhaps we can withstand a small "visual blot" (clothes on an outdoor line) in order to have cleaner air and water in the long run. Perhaps the "visual blot" will morph into an pleasant symbol, one that represents individuals making a small effort to be less wasteful and more global in their thinking.

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