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TESTIMONY OF DONNA BURKHARDT IN SUPPORT OF HB5596  
AN ACT CONCERNING THE "RIGHT TO DRY"

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DEAR ALL,

I AM WRITING IN SUPPORT OF THIS BILL. BEING A COUNTRY GIRL, AND AN AVID CLOTHES LINE DIVA, I KNOW FIRST HAND HOW IMPORTANCE OF HANGING ONE'S CLOTHING ON A LINE.

IT NOT ONLY SAVES US ENERGY BY USING OUR INCREDIBLE SUN, IT ALSO LOWERS ENERGY BILLS, LESSENS THE USE OF FOSSIL FUELS, AND CAN BE MOST THERAPEUTIC. THERE IS NOTHING IN THE WORLD QUITE LIKE SLIPPING INTO YOUR BED AFTER MAKING IT WITH SHEETS THAT HAVE BEEN HUNG ON A CLOTHESLINE. IF YOU'VE NEVER HAD THE EXPERIENCE, THEN YOU ARE MISSING OUT ON ONE OF LIFE'S GREATEST PLEASURES.

I SAY "YES" TO THE "RIGHT TO DRY"

THANK YOU!!