

To The Committee,

I am writing to support the passage of H.B. 5122, regarding the Growth and Sale of Golden Bamboo.

The ability to regulate the growth and sale of invasive or potentially invasive plants is an important tool for the control of these plants within the State of Connecticut. Homeowners should be provided remedies for invasive plants on adjacent properties. Nursery customers should be educated as to the hazards of invasive exotic plants. The costs of prevention is far less than the costs of eradication and cleanup.

I urge the passage of

H.B. 5122.

Thank you for your consideration of my comments.

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