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DATE: March 31, 2010

TO: Senator G. William Diamond, Senate Chair
Representative Emily Cain, House Chair
Members, Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs

FROM: Senator Joseph Perry, Senate Chair *JP mee*
Representative Thomas Watson, House Chair *TW mee*

RE: Appropriations Table Priorities

Pursuant to Joint Rule 314(7), the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation is providing our priorities for bills on the Special Appropriations Table.

The majority of Committee members support LD 1666, An Act To Improve the Seed Capital Investment Tax Credit Program as the top priority and LD 659, An Act To Remove the Sales Tax on Watercraft as the second priority for the bills reported out by the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation. The majority of Committee members also expressed support for LD 1821, An Act Pertaining to Sales Tax Exemptions for Products Purchased for Agricultural Use as a priority.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this input.

cc: Members, Joint Standing Committee on Taxation