



April 24, 2015

The Honorable Brian Hill
Chair, Ohio House Agriculture & Rural Development Committee
77 South High Street, 11th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Chairman Hill,

I write to you today on behalf of the Ohio Grocers Association and its nearly 400 grocers, wholesalers and other Ohio food industry members.

We are writing in support of language found in House Bill 131, contained in section 1327.50 (T) of the ORC. This language deals with the accuracy of advertised prices and point-of-sale systems within the Division of Weights and Measures in the Department of Agriculture.

This language would protect our honest, properly complying member stores against those who do not price correctly. Furthermore, such language would allow the Division of Weights and Measures proper enforcement ability by including such procedures in their rules.

Again I ask for your consideration in support of HB 131 to ensure our honest grocers are not at a competitive disadvantage.

Thank you for your time,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nate Filler", with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Nate Filler
President/CEO

