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To: House Commerce and Economic Development

From: Richard E. Wilborn

Re: House Bill No. 2554

Date: February 9, 2012

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee, I appreciate this opportunity to encourage your support of H.B. 2554, the Kansas Roofing Contractor Registration Act.

My name is Rick Wilborn. I represent the Farmers Alliance Mutual Insurance Companies. Farmers Alliance is a Kansas domestic property and casualty company that has been operating in and committed to the State of Kansas since 1888. We also provide property and casualty insurance in eight other states.

Even though we do not encourage or wish for new or more regulation, the time has come to send a message to unscrupulous roofers and to register the legitimate roofers. HB 2554 is nothing more than a Roofers Registration Act. If it passes it will be helpful to consumers, our industry and the majority of roofers.

We thank you for your thoughtful consideration and respectfully urge your support of HB 2554.

Thank you,



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