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I'm here to testify on **HB 2398** requiring the repeal or suspension of existing sales tax exemptions when implementing any new exemptions.

For four years a group of us have tried to reduce sales tax exemptions but we always seem to add exemptions.

This bill is a version of pay go for exemptions.

My hope with this bill is to broaden the base and do away with some exemptions that are no longer needed.

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