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**HSGtestimony** 

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Chair Cabanilla and Members of the Committee,

During times of economic and fiscal constraints that our state is going through, it is imperative that we recover any funds or taxes that is due to come in to our state coffers.

I support HB 165, the audit of exceptions awarded by any government entity. At some point in time, it may be okay to give tax exemptions, but at this time that we are unable to fund for our services and programs, we need to review these exemptions to see if they are still necessary or they rise up to point in the hierarchy of needs of exemptions of GET exemptions.

Respectfully,

So Ling Lo