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Senator Communication

My name is **(insert your name)** and I am writing this letter to urge you to vote in favor of the tax extenders bill. I wanted to let you know your constituents are counting on your support for the continuation for the Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC) Program. As a Franchise Owner of McDonald's stores in the **(insert geographical)** area, I can inform you firsthand of the huge benefits Work Opportunity Tax Credits have had for my organization with little to no drawbacks. The reason I support this program is for the economic difference it makes in the communities in which my restaurants are located in and in the lives of the employees that I hire that qualify for this program.

Additionally, WOTC is undoubtedly not just a tax break - it is a highly effective solution for reducing government dependence and spending overall in both the federal and state level while reintegrating high-risk individuals back into the workforce.

I am proud to state that almost **(insert company percent)** of my new hires in 2018 were people who received government assistance beforehand, and that translates to close to **(insert company info)** qualified employees of roughly **(insert company info)** new hires.

As of today for 2019, we have hired **(insert company info)** employees that may potentially qualify for the program for this 2019 tax year.

The benefits of the Work Opportunity Tax Credit Program far outweigh the costs of due to the reduction of the dependency of government assistance and the expansion of the workforce while also increasing private sector employment.

Not including the WOTC program as a permanent part of tax reform would have a detrimental impact upon my organization, affecting the number of employees I hire, the benefits I offer my employees, and the financial impact my company stores have in their respective communities.

I urge you to consider is the issue, and I hope I can count on your support for making the WOTC program permanent.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,
(insert your name)