[Date]

The Honorable [Legislator's Name]

[Legislator's Office Address]

[City, State, ZIP Code]

Subject: Support AB 303 - Battery Energy Safety and Accountability Act

Dear [Legislator's Name],

I urge you to support AB 303 to restore local input in the siting of utility-scale battery energy storage systems (BESS) and establish common-sense setbacks from homes, schools, hospitals, and sensitive habitats.

While BESS is crucial for clean energy, recent fires, including a six-day blaze at Vistra Energy's Moss Landing facility, highlight serious safety risks. Toxic fires and hazardous emissions endanger communities, yet current law strips local voices from the permitting process.

AB 303 ensures responsible energy development by:

1. Restoring local authority over BESS siting.

2. Establishing 3,200-foot safety setbacks to protect public health and the environment.

Please support AB 303 to safeguard California communities while advancing clean energy responsibly.

Sincerely,

[Your Name]

[Your Address]

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