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The Honorable Randolph J. Townsend, Chair  
And Members of the Senate  
Committee on Commerce and Labor  
State Senate  
Reno, Nevada

Dear Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee:

I have had numerous recent discussions with Mr. Steve Kost and members of the Far West Equipment Dealers Association about AB 369. Mr. Kost has presented some proposed amendments to this bill. We still have some minor concerns with the bill that we will continue to discuss with Mr. Kost. In general, though, with the adoption of those amendments as submitted by Mr. Kost, Deere & Company does not object to AB 369.

We sincerely appreciate the opportunity to let the committee know where we stand on this bill, and thank the proponents for the chance to have input.

I'm sorry that we cannot have a representative present and the initial hearing on the legislation.

Sincerely,

Jerry D. Parkin

cc Steven Kost



## NORTH AMERICAN EQUIPMENT DEALERS ASSOCIATION

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### Canadian Dealer Protection Laws by Province

Alberta

British Columbia - pending

Manitoba

New Brunswick - pending

Newfoundland - none

Northwest Territories - none

Nova Scotia - none

Nunavut - none

Ontario - pending

Prince Edward Island

Quebec - none

Saskatchewan

Yukon - none

### U.S. Dealer Protection Laws by State

Alabama

Alaska - no law

Arkansas

Arizona

California

Colorado

Connecticut

Delaware

Florida

Georgia

Hawaii - none

Idaho

Illinois

Indiana

Iowa

Kansas

Kentucky

Louisiana

Maine

Maryland

Montana

Nebraska

Nevada - none

New Hampshire

New Mexico

New Jersey

New York

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