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United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator:

More than a million members of the National Association of REALTORS® urge you to vote in favor of all amendments and procedural motions that will be offered related to an extension of the closing date for the homebuyer tax credit. Please support final passage, as well, of legislation that will provide certainty for buyers who are otherwise qualified to utilize the tax credit.

Action TODAY is essential so that buyers and sellers can proceed to their closings with certainty about the availability of the tax credit. NAR estimates that as many as 75,000 individuals did everything in their power to satisfy the April 30 contract date, only to be thwarted by lenders or other third parties who did not act in a timely way to assure that closings could occur by today.

An extension of the tax credit closing date is good for families and good for communities. Act today.

Sincerely,

Vicki Cox Golder, CRB

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