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I am a residential glazing contractor in San Diego, California. My company employs 100 people, we contract with general contractors to provide windows, doors, shower enclosures and mirrors in residential homes.

Liability and workman's compensation is seriously impacting our ability to do business. The products and services we provide far exceed the quality, safety and longevity the law dictates. Nonetheless, our insurance costs have risen 30%-500% over the past year. We are also spending more and more time dealing with frivolous lawsuits that have little to do with poor workmanship. The lawyers bringing on these lawsuits are driving up the cost of insurance and housing in a market where housing is already very expensive.

We are looking for support from the Federal Government mandating mediation, or a customer service program that protects homeowners and contractors from frivolous lawsuits, This will protect consumers, provide more affordable housing and protect jobs that depend on a healthy housing industry.

Thank you for your consideration Dan Jaoudi President J & B Manufacturing Corp dba San Diego Mirror & Window



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