From: Jacinte Armstrong
Sent: May-05-15 8:45 PM

To: Office of the Legislative Counsel **Subject:** Opposition to the Film Tax Credit

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to state, on the record, my opposition to the NS provincial budget which proposes to drastically alter the Nova Scotia Film Tax Credit Program.

I am a native Nova Scotian, and a professional dance artist. I am young, I work, and I want to stay here. My partner is a filmmaker, actor, director, writer (and many more things). The proposed changes will have very negative ramifications on my/our livelihoods, affecting our abilities to earn a living, as well as our creative communities. We may have to move away. Our friends, colleagues, and job may be forced out as well.

To reiterate, I strongly disagree with the proposed budget.

Please do not pass it.

Please listen to your constituents, the people of the province, and even the Ivany report!

Sincerely, Jacinte Armstrong