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FROM:

Senator Dave Argali

DATE:

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SUBJECT:

Contract Automatic Renewal Act

In the near future I will be introducing legislation that would require automatic renewal provisions in a contract be clearly and conspicuously disclosed. It would also require that consumers be provided with confirmation, written or electronic, of the automatic renewal of the contract within 60 days of that renewal period.

Over the past several months, I have heard from businesses and manufacturing associations on issues related to automatic renewal clauses for service contracts. Several other states, including New York, Florida, North Carolina and Illinois, have enacted similar legislation.

If you would like to co-sponsor this legislation please contact BJ Sieg at <u>bsieg@pasen.gov</u> or 7-2637.