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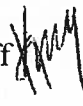
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**MEMORANDUM**

TO: All House Members

FROM: Rep. Kerry A. Benninghoff   
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DATE: August 16, 2011

SUBJECT: Cosponsor - Chimney Reliner Certificate Act

In the near future I will be introducing legislation to require chimney reliners to be certified by the Department of Labor and Industry. Chimney relining is the process of replacing the inner wall of a chimney flue. I believe in order to protect public health and safety it is necessary to ensure that chimney reliners have the necessary competence to perform this function. My legislation would require the Department of Labor and Industry to establish a certification program similar to those currently required for asbestos and lead paint workers.

If you wish to join me as a co-sponsor of this bill, please contact Amy Noel [anoel@pahousegop.com](mailto:anoel@pahousegop.com) or call 717-783-1918.

Thank you!