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April 11, 2017

Assembly Member Jim Cooper  
California State Assembly  
State Capitol Building, Room 6025  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Support Assembly Bill 1120 – *Controlled Substances: butane* (Cooper)

Dear Assembly Member Cooper:

The Shasta County Board of Supervisors is pleased to express our support of Assembly Bill (AB) 1120 – *Controlled Substances: butane*, which would limit the retail purchase of butane to no more than 600 milliliters in any calendar month and would require documenting sales of butane. AB 1120 will help local law enforcement, firefighters and local health care facilities by restricting access large quantities of butane used to produce Honey Oil.

Shasta County recognized an increase in explosions from the manufacturing of concentrated cannabis. Subsequently, in March 2016, the Shasta County Board of Supervisors enacted Ordinance No. SCC 2016-002 – *Butane Resale Ordinance*. SCC 2016-002 mirrors AB 1120 with the exception that butane sales are limited to 600 milliliters per transaction.

Shasta County supports your AB 1120 and we look forward to the bill being enacted into law.

Sincerely,

David A. Kehoe, Chairman  
Board of Supervisors  
County of Shasta

cc: Assemblyman Brian Dahle  
Senator Ted Gaines