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**Subject:** A letter of support from PCOD regarding the CREEC lawsuit  
**Attachments:** CREEC law suit.docx

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Thank you for making livability concerns for people with disabilities a priority.

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