To: staff contact

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Subject: Please Cosponsor H.R. 431/S. 212

Dear ###,

I am one of your constituents from City, State. I write to respectfully request that my Representative/Senator co-sponsor the Access Technology Affordability Act (ATAA) (H.R. 431/S. 212). This legislation involves a tax credit and is being handled by the House Committee on Ways and Means and Senate Committee on Finance.

<give some background on yourself in order to establish rapport>

The cost of critically needed access technology is out of reach for most blind Americans. By providing a refundable tax credit for qualifying purchases, Congress will stimulate individual procurement of this technology and promote affordability of these tools. The COVID-19 pandemic has forced many Americans to become much more dependent upon technology, which has exacerbated the challenges that blind students, job seekers, and employees were already facing.

This bill has bicameral bipartisan support. Currently, H.R. 431 currently has 86 co-sponsors and S. 212 currently has 20 cosponsors. I wish to see my Representative/Senator sign on as a cosponsor.

Will Representative/Senator#### please cosponsor this bill?

I have copied Jeff Kaloc [jkaloc@nfb.org](mailto:jkaloc@nfb.org) with the National Federation of the Blind national office. He is available to answer any detailed questions you might have.

Thank you in advance,

Your Name

Your Address (where you vote)

Your Contact Info