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Elizabeth Murphy
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Dear Ms. Murphy,

After working as a television anchor/reporter for six years, I realized the long grueling hours and tight deadlines was not the path I wanted to continue on if I wanted to start a family. That is when I decided to be my own boss. The idea of having a flexible schedule and being able to make my own business decisions appealed to me. So, in 2005, I opened the doors to For Pampered Pooches, a dog bakery. I enjoyed creating gift baskets and baking dog cakes and treats. The following year, I obtained my real estate license and worked as a Buyers Agent at Keller Williams Realty. I worked exclusively with clients who were planning to buy property.

Giving the government any more control over businesses, directly or indirectly through special interest and proxy access, is not a good idea. This decision would most likely spike the costs of doing business. In these tough times, our economy would hurt even more than it already is.

Unfortunately, nearly a year after I opened my dog bakery, I was forced to shut the doors because of slow sales. Also, the recent economic downturn caused the real estate market to turn south. With the market slump, fewer clients were available. However, I was still responsible for paying all the required fees to maintain my real estate business. I was spending more money than I was making so I made the difficult decision to end my real estate career. This led to my decision to return to broadcasting as a television host. I encourage you to keep the shareholder proxy access the way it is. By doing so, you will be protecting the rights of small business owners.

Sincerely,



Theresa Ebreo