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The Honorable Mike Crapo
Chairman
Committee on Finance
United States Senate
219 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Ron Wyden
Ranking Member
Committee on Finance
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Dear Chairman Crapo and Ranking Member Wyden:

On behalf of the National Association of Tax Professionals and the more than 24,000 tax professionals we represent, thank you for your work on the Taxpayer Assistance and Service Act.

NATP strongly supports the TAS Act and was encouraged by the Senate Finance Committee's 26-1 vote to advance the bill. The legislation would make important improvements to taxpayer protections, IRS service and standards for paid tax return preparers.

Tax professionals see every day how gaps in IRS service and uneven standards in the paid preparer community affect taxpayers. The TAS Act takes a practical step toward addressing those issues while keeping the profession accessible to capable preparers who are willing to meet clear education and accountability requirements.

With the committee's work complete, NATP respectfully asks you to continue working with Senate leadership toward timely consideration by the full Senate. The strong bipartisan vote in committee shows this legislation deserves the opportunity to move forward.

Thank you again for your leadership and your commitment to a tax system that works better for taxpayers and the professionals who serve them.

Sincerely,

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