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United States Senate
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Senator:

On behalf of the 1.4 million men and women of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, I am writing to urge you to create and protect American jobs by voting for the Bring Jobs Home Act, S. 3364, when it is brought to the Senate floor this month.

S. 3364 would reward companies with a tax credit for up to 20% of the expenses they incur for eliminating a business located outside the United States and relocating it within the U.S. - and bring jobs back to America. It would also eliminate the current tax incentive that businesses receive for their moving expenses when they ship their jobs overseas.

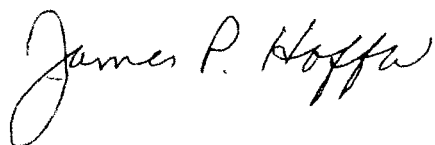
Over the last decade, the U.S. has lost more manufacturing jobs than during the Great Depression. That's 50,000 facilities and nearly six million manufacturing jobs gone. With unemployment rates still unacceptably high, working families continue to struggle. We have to end this exodus of good jobs and cannot permit our manufacturing base to continue to erode.

S. 3364 represents a commonsense and necessary step in providing the right incentives to put us on the road to recovery.

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We hope that you will support creating more jobs at home by voting for this important legislation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James P. Hoffa". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J".

James P. Hoffa
General President

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