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Subject: Urgent: Hospitality Business Rates Relief Needed

Dear Chancellor Reeves,

I am the owner of [Your Business Name], a hospitality venue in (Town or City) . Rising business rates and employment costs are putting our ability to operate, employ staff, and support local suppliers at serious risk.

While some relief has been offered to pubs, **other hospitality businesses – including restaurants, cafés, night-time venues, and live entertainment spaces – are largely excluded.** This threatens jobs, the local economy, and the vibrancy of our towns.

I urge you to:

1. Extend business-rates relief to the wider hospitality sector immediately.
2. Consider transitional measures to prevent closures and job losses while reforming the system long-term.

Hospitality businesses are more than commercial premises; we are part of the **night-time economy, cultural life, and local employment.** Timely intervention will prevent permanent damage to this vital sector.

Thank you for your attention and urgent action.

Best regards,
[Your Name]

[Business Name]

[Phone / Email]