

## O'Brien, Shawn

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**From:** Tucker, Rep. (District Office)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 29, 2011 9:56 AM  
**To:** O'Brien, Shawn  
**Subject:** FW: Amendments 203 and Amendments 248

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**From:** rlesenehouse@aol.com [mailto:rlesenehouse@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 29, 2011 9:54 AM  
**To:** Tucker, Rep. (District Office)  
**Subject:** Amendments 203 and Amendments 248

Dear Rep. Tucker:

Please include my email in the record of the House Government Affairs Committee, for review by the U.S. Department of Justice or any district court determining pre-clearance pursuant to the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

As a residents of Orleans Parish, we understand that because we have lost population, we must lose a certain number of state house representatives. We do not believe we Orleans Parish should lose 4 representatives however, and the current House Bill, as amended by Amendment 203 and Amendment 248 would dilute African-American voter representation unfairly and disproportionately. These amendments do not respect communities of interest, and they are far from compact.

We am asking that you reconsider your vote and support of HB1 with these amendments. We do not want my right to vote infringed upon.

Sincerely, RAYMOND AND ETHERAL LESENE