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Subject: I strongly oppose HB 3063 , for the sake of human rights and the long term safety of my children.
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My name is David Ross, a father , husband, and human rights advocate. I very strongly oppose HB 3063 for many different reasons. First off, it is extremely over reaching and dystopian of a government (who everyone pays thier taxes to) to deny a child the right to a public education in order to force the 31 mandated vaccinations without a parents choice in the matter. There is only a 2.6% non-vaccination rate in the state of Oregon while 66% of them still choose to vaccinate with the ones they deem most neccessary. This bill will effectively put 31,521 children immediatly out of school for extended periods of time, some even years at a time to safely get the required doses the state will FORCE onto children. After pointing out the factual data of rates of vaccinated vs non , this law will have little to no effect on making us safer. Rather be a cause and effect of thousands of kids being held back for months and years on end. Exemption rates go up naturally over time as new vaccines are added to the required list while parents wait for the right time to choose to do so. Growing up in a country based on human rights and national freedoms , I never imagined I would have to fight for the rights to be allowed to choose what is best for my child. It is the opposite of what it was founded on and Oregon lawmakers should be ashamed of putting our freedoms in the hands of corporate interests and corporate media fear mongering. I strongly urge you to think about what is at stake with the negative impacts this will have and the precedents it will set for taking more rights and freedoms away from parents. Thank you and please consider what is truly at stake.