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Dear Oregon State Legislature,

I have been a resident in the City of Portland for 20 years and am writing to oppose HB 3063 and support my family's fair access to public education.

Eliminating the right for public school families to claim Religious and/or Philosophical Exemptions is unconstitutional and unjust.

If one parent wants to give their child the MMR vaccine, but not the Chicken Pox vaccine - their child would be banned from school. However, a child who is up-to-date on vaccines - but has dangerous communicable diseases such as HIV/AIDS or Hepatitis B they would not be affected at all and would not even need to register or show that they watched a video course on prevention and precautions for the very disease they carry into the public around immunocompromised individuals.

The vaccine schedule has drastically increased in quantity for children now: from 26 doses when I was a child to 74 doses now. When each vaccine has a 12 to 42 paragraph list of possible adverse reactions listed on its package insert, including encephalitis and death, why would a parent be coerced into choosing full adaptation of this schedule or total exclusion from public education?

Until double-blind placebo tests are done on these vaccines, it is solely up for parents to decide which medical procedures or vaccines (and how many) they deem safe, risk-worthy, or necessary for their children. For basic rights to be denied to such families it would be a travesty of justice.

Opting out of certain vaccines that I deem non-necessary, such as the multiple doses of Varicella (Chicken Pox) or Rotavirus vaccines is my right as a US Citizen and Oregon resident. For parents such as myself, I advocate for freedom without discrimination. I advocate for further genetic testing to understand what causes these adverse reactions and medically assess children for risk factors. Over \$4 Billion in public money has been paid out for vaccine injuries in the US since 1986. Instead of outlining the variables that contribute to a higher risk of severe adverse reactions and making the safer vaccines, this bill is proposing the restriction of Constitutional rights for those that question any part of the CDC schedule. That is a backwards trajectory for public health. Oregon is better than this discriminatory bill.

Thank you for your time and consideration in opposition of HB 3063.

Kind Regards,

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