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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to address any potential conflicts that may arise if I am appointed to the Oregon Medical Board. I look forward to serving with the board in its important public health mission. As you know, I am an active member with the Oregon Medical Association and value my service on their Legislative Committee. Given the need for transparency in today's political climate, I want to make sure that the board would not view my continued volunteer service to the OMA as a conflict. Of course, I always would use my common sense regarding my service with the board or the association. Thank you for your attention to this issue and I look forward to hearing from you and serving on the Oregon Medical Board. As you know I will be in Brussels next Thursday when you will have the hearing with Senate Rules Committee. We will have to do a phone call for the hearing. I will also have internet access and so can do this hearing via Skype or FaceTime. I will let you know my Brussels phone number next week.

Respectfully,

James K. Lace, M.D.