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April 3, 2015

The Honorable Floyd Prozanski Chair, Senate Committee on Judiciary Oregon State Legislature State Capitol 900 Court St. NE, S-415 Salem, OR 97301

Re: Senate Bill 694-1 - Testimony offered by Brian Edwards

Dear Chairman Prozanski:

On April 2, 2015 Brian Edwards offered both written and oral testimony in support of Senate Bill 694. During the course of his testimony Mr. Edwards referred to himself as a TEAM OREGON instructor.

We would like, for the official record, to clarify that Mr. Edwards was not authorized to speak on behalf of the TEAM OREGON Motorcycle Safety Program. The beliefs and views expressed by Mr. Edwards neither represent nor reflect the values and philosophy of TEAM OREGON.

TEAM OREGON promotes best practices for the safe operation of a motorcycle. We maintain a neutral position in most matters of legislative policy.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

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Steve Garets Director TEAM OREGON Motorcycle Safety Program

cc: Members of the Committee Sen. Ginny Burdick Sen. Sara Gelser Sen. Jeff Kruse Sen. Kim Thatcher