

OREGON COALITION OF POLICE & SHERIFFS

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Oregon State Senate Floor Letter

Re: Profiling / HB 2002 – SUPPORT as amended

Dear Senators,

The Oregon Coalition of Police and Sheriffs (ORCOPS) has closely followed HB 2002, and we are pleased to offer our support and endorsement of HB 2002-B.

This measure provides protections and accountability for Oregonians concerned about profiling, while still giving law enforcement officers the ability to act on suspect descriptions and proactively engage with their communities.

The measure also provides for data collection regarding profiling complaints and establishes a workgroup to make further recommendations as necessary. As we move forward it's important that we take workable and practical steps that will not impede law enforcement's responsibility to protect our communities.

We look forward to being involved in future discussions with regard to this issue. House Bill 2002-B has ORCOPS' support.

Respectfully,

Daryl Turner President, Oregon Coalition of Police and Sheriffs

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