

**Senate Judiciary Committee – May 22, 2017**  
**Testimony on HB 2732 from Kohana Clem**

Chair Prozanski and members of the committee:

My name is Kohana Jade Clem. I am the daughter of Representative Brian Clem and Carol Suzuki. I am a member of Girl Scout Troop 10037. I am 9 years old and in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. I live in Salem, Oregon. This is my second time testifying on a bill.

I am in favor of House Bill 2732. I want this bill to pass because it will help save children and animals lives. The bill puts clear rules in place so people will know what to do and know that they are protected by the law.

If you see a child or an animal in a dangerous situation and hurting like in a hot car

The rules are:

- 1) See if the owner of the car is close by.
- 2) If they are not, check to see if the doors are unlocked
- 3) If it is not unlocked, first call the police to make sure you have permission to break open a window
- 4) Only break one window.
- 5) Then stay until help arrives.

In the United States, there are 7 other states that have passed bills like House Bill 2732 with support from both Democrats and Republicans. They are: California, Florida, Massachusetts, Ohio, Tennessee, Vermont and Wisconsin. I hope Oregon will be the 8<sup>th</sup> state to make this a law.

House Bill 2732 passed 60-0 in the House of Representatives. I hope you will vote in favor of this bill so the Senate can also pass this bill.

Thank you for allowing me to testify.