From:	CE
To:	<u>LRO</u>
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Dear Members of the Joint Committee on Tax Reform,

I strongly urge you to consider taxing corporations at a higher rate! I am dumbfounded when I hear the millions or billions in profit that some companies are making every year in Oregon, coupled with the fact that they pay next to nothing in taxes, and/or are getting a huge break on water or utilities.

We need revenue in this state, and when I hear that Oregon has one of the lowest tax rates for businesses in the nation, I am in awe that our local and state governments continue to forgo the needs of the people of Oregon in favor of the demands of these corporations.

I am counting on you to serve the interests of people of Oregon,

Sincerely,

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