Dear People of Oregon:

HB 4135 has all the earmarks of Hitler's Aktion T4 "merciful death" euthanasia program.

"Reich Leader Bouhler and Dr. Brandt are entrusted with the responsibility of extending the authority of physicians, to be designated by name, so that patients who, after a most critical diagnosis, on the basis of human judgment [*menschlichem Ermessen*], are considered incurable, can be granted mercy death [*Gnadentod*]. — Adolf Hitler^{[7][8]"}

The above quote is from Hitler's letter to Brandt and Bouhler, the only "smoking gun' evidence of Hitler's direct personal involvement in the Holocaust to survive the war.

The current idea that physicians, or committees, are the paragons of moral virtue to whom we can entrust our lives and culture are asinine in view of both history and the current vile application of euthanasia programs in Belgium and The Netherlands.

Brush the alligator tears aside - this is "Rosemary's Baby". Kill the bill, not grandma.

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