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Hello Chair Fagan, Vice Chair Girod, Members of the Committee,

My name is Joy and I live in Portland, I support this bill because I've been working on the Renter's Rights Hotline (For CAT) for years. And can you imagine or put yourself in the shoes of people facing no cause eviction displacing them from their homes and paying more than 50% of their income to rent. The feeling of hopelessness is real. We need you guys to give us real hope, You know where the homeless camps are and you have seen them, How many endless stories of rent increases and no cause evictions do you have to hear before you help us. Right now you are and you have fail us. We need laws that will protect us like this bill. I received a no cause eviction and there was nothing me and my children could do about being displace from our home after being there for 10yrs working on minimum wage I had no money saved to move. Me and other families in these situations can only feel hopeless, unfortunate, depressed, the question lurks in our minds who can and who will helps us? The answer should be you guys. We voted for you guys to help us please stop failing us and pass this bill, HELP US This time.

Thank You.

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