

I am a resident of Oregon, supporter of sexual assault survivors, and emergency room nurse and I would like to write in my testimony of support for SB 995.

SB 995 extends crucial protections to sexual assault survivors, including personal friends who have been unable to renew a Sexual Assault Protective Order due to the perpetrator avoiding contact with the server. Under the current law, the responsibility falls on the survivor, and a perpetrator can simply wait out as SAPO, and after it has expired, may legally contact their victim.

Please vote yes on SB 995, to protect those who need it most.

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