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Via Electronic Mail

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To: Senate Committee on Finance and Revenue; [and many others].

Re: OPPOSITION to [SB 1578]

Taxpayers should read all "Bills" but reading **[SB 1578]** is going to first, make them puke and then they'll get furious as not everyone will be paying the same rates of taxation on "greenhouse gas emissions."

For example, an illegal alien, making a very low income, driving a smog emitting vehicle, will pay a lesser greenhouse gas emission tax than someone who has earned a " ton of money" and is driving a "brand-spanking-new" low greenhouse gas emission vehicle. Where is "Equal taxation?"

All the taxpayers reading **[SB 1578]** might just decide to initiate a "taxpayer's revolt" and refuse to pay the tax and any other tax on greenhouse gas emissions as they stand written to date.

Here is the constitutional questionable tax squeeze scale of who pays what:

<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2020R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB1578/Introduced>

Obviously, there is a dark anatomical place where you can politely sick **[SB 1578]**.

I believe and only support, taxes that treat everyone equally and are authorized by the "Voters" and not the scallywags in the State of Oregon's Legislature.

No wonder you folks like these "short sessions." This is where all the "dirty work" becomes laws.

"Vote NO" on [SB 1578]!
Respectfully submitted,
/s/ David S. Wall

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