Submitter:	Sylvia Colasacco
On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	Senate Committee On Education
Measure:	SB1521

Dear Senate Committee,

I am a parent of a student at Portland Public Schools. I absolutely oppose SB 1521 that takes parents/taxpayers out of the equation in hiring and firing Super Intendants. We pay their salary and therefore get to decide if they are fulfilling their duties that we hired them for.

Parents need be involved in holding the Super Intendant accountable. Again, WE PAY the salary through our tax dollars. We have a vested interest in our children's education. In no uncertain terms, is it ok to take us out of the equation.

Sincerely, Sylvia Colasacco Portland OR.