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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon Opposes HB 4011
Committee: House Committee On Human Services
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I OPPOSE [HB 4011].

Selected Text from [HB 4011]; "...SECTION 6. (1) The Child Welfare Cultural Equity Program is established within the Department of Human Services. The purpose of the program is to ensure access to a diverse set of child welfare service providers consistent with the cultural diversity needs of the population being served.
(2) Under the program, the department may develop, or contract with nonprofit organizations to assist in the development of:
(a) Methods for determining the cultural diversity needs of the children receiving child welfare services from the department;
(b) Methods for incentivizing the recruitment and retention of a diverse set of child welfare service providers; and
(c) Best practices for connecting a child served by the department with child welfare service providers who meet the child's cultural diversity needs.
(3) The department may adopt rules to implement and carry out the provisions of this section."

I do not support a boondoggle steeped in promoting and codifying 'systemic racism' into Oregon law.

Further, I do not want any more taxes raised on behalf of the Oregon Health Authority to be dispersed to 'Non-profit Corporations'.

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