Submitter:David WallOn Behalf Of:Mr Oregon Opposes SB 119Committee:Senate Committee On Labor and BusinessMeasure:SB119Tuesday [01.17.23]

I OPPOSE [SB 119] (as written)

[SB 119] does not provide structured budget allocations to conduct the 'study' of the use of 'Apprentices' defined by [ORS 660.010] for use in Public Works and Public Improvement Projects.

[SB 119] begins to institute 'systemic racism' into the 'Apprentice program' referencing the racial groups included in the 'TEXT' of [SB 119].

'Racial Quotas' leads to 'systemic racism' in government contracts.

Focus on constructing an Apprentice program predicated on 'Equal treatment under the law, fairness and the content of the character of every applicant'.

Oregon's Trades are highly respected and we should all be very proud of the men and women so engaged in such worthy pursuits.

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