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I OPPOSE TRYING TO LEGISLATE BEHAVIOR THAT IS NOT VIOLENT.

The Oregon court just ruled that teachers can display offensive flags in their class rooms even if it offense some students. This is no different. Yes rude behavior should be address by the school in a matter of their own reputation. But the legislature has no authority to legislate behavior that isn't violent just because it hurt someone's feeling. We all have different levels of sensitivity, but we can't put people in a straight jacket over it.