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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources

Measure: SB85

Hello,

I am writing to express my disappointment on the proposed amendment to this bill that would make it toothless by limiting its scope to only poultry-related operations. This bill is badly needed to restrict the dairy factory farms in Oregon, with the Three Mile Canyon farm being a recent one. It is quite shocking to see legislators bending to the interests of dairy factory farms in removing any accountability provided by this bill.

I urge legislators to keep the long term interests of all residents of the state in mind and extend the moratorium to all factory farms which tend to pollute and treat animals, people and environment poorly in the pursuit of profit.

Please do not restrict this bill and make it meaningless.

Thank you.