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On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary
Measure: HB3390

I implore you to allow an exemption to this bill for the fishing industry. The state of Oregon relies heavily on the sport fishing industry, making the sale of fur illegal, would close every fly fishing business in this state. Flies by their very nature are made of fur, we sell flies that are pre-tied as well as the materials to make your own. Without the ability to sell flies and tying materials, there will in essence be no more fly fishing in Oregon. Please create an exemption for the sale of furs for fishing, the sport fishing industry has taken enough hits with fisheries closures and unfair allocations to commercial fishing.

Respectfully,

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