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To: Senate Committee on Judiciary

I am one of the many Oregonians who hopes for the passage of HB 2915, legislation that will prohibit future stores from selling puppies and kittens in Oregon. It has been shown that puppies sold in pet stores come mainly from puppy mils, where they get very poor care. When people adopt their pets from reputable shelters and responsible breeders, they experience much greater success with their animals' health and behavior.

A majority of Oregon's pet stores follow a humane business model. We can support them as well as the many other humane-minded Oregonians who are hoping this bill will pass. Oregon is the only market on the West coast left open to puppy-selling pet stores. Let's close the gap and get HB 2915 passed this session!

Thank you,
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