

Submitter: Donna Torres
On Behalf Of:
Committee: Joint Committee On Tax Expenditures
Measure: HB3235

Please vote NO on this bill.

EVERYONE Read THIS!

"...(6) An eligible nonresident individual shall be allowed the credit computed in the same manner and subject to the same eligibility requirements as the credit allowed a resident by subsection (1) of this section. However, the credit shall be prorated using the proportion provided in ORS 316.117."

[HB 3235] does not clearly state the difference between, "Resident versus Nonresident."

**"Legal Resident of the United States of America(U.S.A.) could mean: a citizen of the (U.S.A.) and or a Foreign national who is a "Legal Resident of the (U.S.A.)."

**What is the definition of "Nonresident?" Is a "Nonresident" an Illegal alien? Most likely but, can the "Nonresident" provide proof of "Legal residency in the (U.S.A.)" or is the State of Oregon creating yet another "Welfare Program" to afford another public benefit-a tax credit for their children?

I Oppose tax-credits because it treats people, for whatever reason, unequal under the law. In the case at bar, immigration status is not discussed. However, it is foreseeable, if not a downright guarantee, the term "Nonresident" includes, and is designed to include, Illegal aliens.

**Tax-credits create a "hole" in Revenues applied to the State of Oregon's budget. Money has to come from somewhere "to plug this hole."

However you slice it, Oregonian taxpayers are subsidizing, Legal people and Illegal people, via [HB 3235]-who cannot afford their children and to create more children they cannot afford.

***The tax-credits serve to make the receivers of the welfare benefit, dependant on government.

***The tax-credit welfare program is a form of "vote-buying."

***The total cost of the welfare program designated as [HB 3235] is not stated. Why am I not surprised.

Look at the Welfare programs below.

*** [HB 3235] Unknown cost for this Welfare Program.

***[HB 2726] wants \$25,000,000 for their Welfare Program.

*** [SB 603] wants \$500,250,000 for their Welfare Program

The State of Oregon's Welfare Industrial Complex must come to an end.

NO!