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On Behalf

Of:

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and

Water

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Chair Helm, Vice Chairs Owens and Hartman, and members of the committee

I am an Oregon resident, and I stand with Willamette Valley specialty seed growers and so I support this bill with some reservation. I strongly oppose the -8 amendment. WE ARE ONE OF THE LAST PLACES IN THE WORLD where this type of seed production can occur. Prevent cross contamination of Canola with other brassicas. Preserve the bottom line of seed farmers and continue to protect the Willamette Valley protected district. Enshrine the isolation districts in law. Please. For the generations to come.