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On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Rules
Measure: SB1538

I vehemently oppose this bill. On the surface, it sounds good by making voters' pamphlets available in multiple language but there is a huge problem with it in Section 3, paragraph 2.

We absolutely CANNOT remove lines 18-22.

“[(2) If a vote tally system is used, the county clerk shall repeat the public certification test described under ORS 254.235 (1). The test shall be conducted immediately prior to scanning any ballots. The test may be observed by persons described in ORS 254.235 (2). The county clerk shall certify the results of the test.]

We have seen the second test go awry in some counties, so we absolutely need to conduct ALL tests of the system!

No test = NO ACCOUNTABLILTY

PLEASE VOTE NO ON SB1538