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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon is NEUTRAL on SB 859
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i am NEUTRAL ON [SB 859].

Whereas the concept of OED "... to compromise or adjust certain debts and overpayments relating to the paid family and medical leave program" appears reasonable, I am concerned as to the growing costs of the paid family and medical leave program.

"The paid family and medical leave program" should be offered and paid as an "Employee benefit" by both the employer and the Employee" and NOT the Oregon Taxpayer.

It would have ben beneficial to state the amount of Taxpayer dollars are spent on the paid family and medic.al leave program(s).

As to Unemployment Insurance, there appears a need to increase in the employee/employer contributions.

DAS and or the State Auditor should be directed to review both the Unemployed Insurance and family and or medical leave programs.

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Mr. Oregon Concurr and says, "The family and or medical leave program" is a very costly expenditure the taxpayers should not have to fund especially, with my tax dollars."