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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon SUPPORTS HB 2302

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2302

I am NEUTRAL on [HB 2302].

[HB 2302] serves to add civil protections for abused minors.

It is bad enough to be a child subject to abuse. Now civil penalties may serve to provide for and fund an escape from the abuser(s).

There is a problem with [HB 2302]. A Plaintiff abused minor may file a civil complaint but, the Defendant is usually financially destitute and therefore judgements following from destitute Defendants are often "Hollow."

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Mr. Oregon Concurs.