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On Behalf Of:

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

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2557

Thank you for the opportunity to share my support for HB 2557. I am a 16 year old that currently attends Tigard High School. I am passionate about wildlife conservation and strongly support the prohibition of raising octopus for human consumption or sale. Octopus are extremely smart and have amazing capabilities. Confining octopus and causing them extreme stress and suffering only to be slaughtered is not right. This also causes problems with waste and impacts on marine ecosystems. I ask you to vote in favor of this bill to protect this remarkable species. Thank you.

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