February 4, 2025

Senate Committee on Labor and Business

Re: Senate Bill 916

Dear Chair Senator Taylor, Vice-Chair Senator Bonham and members of the Committee:

I strongly urge you to table this Bill.

Aside from a safety issue, there is no valid reason that people who walk of their jobs because they don't like something about it – because they aren't satisfied working there – should then be eligible to collect unemployment compensation. This defies logic.

- People that walk off their jobs are themselves 100% responsible for being out of work.
- Union member are completely responsible for the consequences of striking.
- The state of Oregon is not responsible for caring for people that quit their jobs.
- Senate Bill 916 is simply wrong, as those who sponsored and support this legislation are wrong.
- Senate Bill 916 is not only wrong, it is ridiculous.
- Oregon has enough cans of worms open without opening this one.

Regards,

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