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It appears the Oregon Legislature has forgotten that the state has 2 international ports, Port of Portland and the Port of Coos Bay. The Port of Coos Bay has become the forgotten port by the state. In Charleston the deep-sea fleet docks are in major need of repair, and you keep throwing money at Portland. Portland, where Terminal 6 is closed for container ships; yet Coos Bay has the potential at becoming one, if the state would invest in the Port of Coos Bay and the rail lines. I suggest the following amendment: on line 9 remove "Portland" and add "Coos Bay" in its place.