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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon OPPOSES HB 3224

Committee: House Committee On Early Childhood and Human

Services

Measure, Appointment or

Topic:

HB3224

I OPPOSE [HB 3224].

From the TEXT of [HB 3224], "...SECTION 1. The Department of Human Services shall review the statutes of this state to identify all instances of required background checks, similarities and differences in the different background checks, and report on options to consolidate and reduce the number of different background checks for similar purposes or programs."

***[HB 3224] is going to require significant funding to undertake and complete the study.

***"Background checks vary from Department to Department. Usually a "finger printing" and "Warrant check" is all that is required. Modernly it would be prudent to take a 'DNA' sample for the National Database to analyze for the individual's possible prior criminal conduct.

***There is also the amount of personal information that will be accessible to many people throughout the organization. Personal information sharing is an issue of concern.

***[HB 3224] is without any Budget allocation and or Funding sources.

***[HB 3224] as written is a waste of time.

***Background reviews and analysis should involve the Oregon State Police.

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Mr. Oregon Concurs.