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On Behalf Of:
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Wildfire
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1076

I am writing to express my strong opposition to Senate Bill 1076 as written, which imposes unnecessary and costly regulations on responsible pet breeders in Oregon.

Changing the definition of a breeder to align with ORS 167.374 to regulate breeders for profit who breed more than 3 litters per year for cats, dogs, and small animals and something similar for exotic birds would better serve the state of Oregon and its animal population.

I am also concerned with enforcement. A potentially fraudulent complaint could trigger the inspection and intrusion into the personal residence of a citizen without due process and impinge upon the right to privacy.

Individuals/households/breeders who may have a litter every 1-3 years from their personal pet should NOT be regulated.

Thank you