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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Health Care

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1000

Please vote NO on Senate Bill 1000.

I appreciate the motivation behind SB 1000, but this bill isn't the right way to support a local hospital like Bay Area Hospital. Why should Oregon taxpayers be on the hook for propping up a hospital that will be sold and leased to Quorum Health by the time the bill takes effect?

Instead, please consider the Shared Responsibility Plan being promoted by UFCW. I, as well as 56% of voters in the region, prefer this plan to a private equity sale/lease.

Thank you