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Regarding SB210

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My name is Lisa Hildebrand, and I am an Oregon resident. I am testifying on the value of Oregon's vote-by-mail process. Being able to vote by mail – and having it be the default option – has made it much easier for me to vote. I, like many Oregon residents, work full-time. This can make it difficult to make it to the polling stations on election days. The vote-by-mail process allows me to vote without having to take time off of work. Additionally, although I have a car, not all residents have cars or live in places with reliable public transportation. This makes physically going to the polling stations more difficult for them. Vote-by-mail makes voting much more accessible to all residents, ensuring that their voices are heard. I would like to ask that the Committee oppose Bill SB210 in the interest of ensuring that all residents who wish to vote are able to do so.

Thank you for your time,

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