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Oregon's ability to vote by mail is an incredibly popular, extremely important commitment to representative democracy. David Brock Smith's introduction of this bill is in keeping with the Republican Party's wider commitment to stripping American citizens of their right to vote. Its intent is to make it more difficult for Oregon voters to have their voice be heard, and alleged reasons for such a measure—to combat fraud—is completely spurious. Furthermore, President Trump's executive orders on ID requirements are not enforceable, are not the law of the land, and are anti-Constitutional. Oregon legislators must reject this effort to strip us of our rights.