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On Behalf Of:

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Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB485

We own and manage several hundred acres of forestland in four counties. We planted trees as seedlings over the past 49 years on most of the land. Without passage of SB 485 with 2 amendments, we will be forced to cut timber prematurely in order to pay estate taxes in Oregon. Then too, the price of the delivered logs may be low, making matters worse. Please support SB 485 so that family forest owners can benefit from the estate tax exemption as other natural resource property owners do now. Thank You.