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Measure, Appointment or Topic:	SB181

I am writing to urge you to support SB181 which prohibits research facilities from using public fund to directly fund laboratory research on dogs or cats that is classified under certain pain and distress categories. Painful experiments on animals fly against Oregon's anti-cruelty laws. Animals should NEVER be subjected to cruel, painful and/or inhumane experiments. As a tax-payer I DO NOT WANT TO FUND THIS CRUELTY. Our state of Oregon and our country stand for ethical treatment of all beings. Ask yourself if you would submit your pet for such cruel treatment. Please support SB 181.