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Dear Chair Elmer, Chair Bonamici, and Committee Members,

My name is Stephanie and my family owns 120+ acres of forestland in both Yamhill and Clatsop Counties. My family has owned and cared for this land for over 65 years and hope that it can be tended to by family for years to come.

For my family, SB 435 A is an important bill as it fixes the \$15 million estate tax exemption. The old bill was hard on tree farmers and their family. This bill makes it possible for us to pass the land on to future generations without an impossible tax burden to worry about.

Please voe YES on SB 485 A. It will help keep forests in my family. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Stephanie Parker – family properties in Sheridan & Birkenfeld Oregon