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On Behalf Of:

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Government

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I am submitting testimony in full support of SB 1593. Passage of this bill will align Oregon with other states, and will protect Oregon's ski industry from collapse due to frivolous lawsuits. My family has been skiing in Oregon for generations, and without the support of this bill, it is likely that will come to an end. The Oregon ski industry supports our economy by bringing much needed jobs and tourism that will disappear and be irreplaceable if the resorts can no longer operate. Timberline Lodge, a National Historic Site will find it difficult to continue to operate without the support that the ski business brings them. I urge you to support this bill and protect this valuable resource for generations to come. Thank you for your consideration.