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On Behalf Of:

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Senate Committee On Judiciary

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SB1517

I am writing to respectfully urge you to OPPOSE SB 1517 as amended by either the -6 or the -7 amendments.

Our family has already been impacted by the closure of Mtn Biking at Ski Bowl due to insurance / liability issues. That site was such a gem for mtn biking and so affordable. It truly helped our family have amazing days of outdoor recreation. Would be devastating for Oregonians to lose numerous outdoor recreation / fitness opportunities.

As a supporter of Oregon's recreation and fitness community, I remain concerned that SB 1517 -6 or -7 does not solve the insurance crisis facing providers across the state. The amendments, while representing an improvement, still fail to provide the clarity and predictability insurers need to re-enter or remain in Oregon. No other state does what this proposal seeks.

SB1593 on the other hand, has overwhelming bipartisan support, will address the recreational insurance crisis, and is already further along in the process.

Please refocus your efforts to support SB1593!