

Submitter: Randy Lawrence  
On Behalf Of:  
Committee: House Committee On Rules  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1517

Dear Chair Bowman, Vice-Chairs Elmer and Pham, and members of the committee,

I am writing in opposition to the current SB1517A bill. I am a former ski resort employee and now am engaged in recreation at Oregon ski resorts with my family. These resorts are important economic drivers in our area and continuation of uncertainty in terms of legal liability will undermine their business. I have seen prices climb over the years as they try to offset some of their skyrocketing insurance costs. These increases make it increasingly harder to patronize these businesses (and then other supporting businesses like restaurants, gas stations, ski shops, etc. also lose revenue).

Please either take SB1593 up for consideration or include amendments to SB1517A (-A11 preferably to mirror SB 1593).

Thank you for your leadership on this issue.

Randy Lawrence