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This bill is evil in intent and should be dropped immediately for several reasons:
---Justice Equity Reinvestment Program is "administered" by NW Health Foundation and its purpose is to put criminals on the streets to reduce prison overcrowding by shifting resources to community services who are CULTURALLY SPECIFIC ORGANIZATIONS who believe some are in jail because of their land of origin or color, not in jail for their criminal activity. Their financial focus goes ONLY to those they feel deserve more than others (i.e. DISCRIMINATION)

___The bill also removes the current administrator of REP because Kotax did not like the fact that the current administration did not give out enough money to pay for attorneys (with our tax dollars) for criminals, so they can get out of just and fair sentences for their crimes. She refilled the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission with her "appointee" and OCJC will tell REP how to function.

___The bill prohibits police from using automated license plate recognition systems, with rare exception and requires the data to be removed in 30 days, thus making it more difficult for our police to find stolen cars, criminals, etc. WHY WOULD YOU DO THIS???

--- Expands the crime of aggravated harassment now to include not just feeling "offended" but subjecting a public official to alarm by conveying threat. WHO DECIDES IF THE WORDS WERE REALLY A THREAT OR OFFENSIVE or were they just exercising their Constitutional rights??

THIS BILL IS YET ONE MORE ATTEMPT OF KOTAX AND DEMOCRATS TO TAKE TOTAL CONTROL OF OREGONIANS. If you want to join Marxist or Communist groups do it elsewhere, Oregonians came here free and we intend to stay that way.