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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon Opposes HB 4012

Committee: Senate Committee On Human Services, Mental Health and Recovery

Measure: HB4012

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I OPPOSE [HB 4012], "Directs Department of Human Services, in collaboration with Oregon Health Authority and Oregon Youth Authority, to review service provider rate structures for child caring agencies and submit report to interim committees of Legislative Assembly on or before February 28, 2023."

In a 'well-managed, professional environment' the aforementioned information request should be readily available in 'real-time'.

[HB 4012]'s cost is not identified but, [HB 4012] will require a 'Bureaucracy-an expansion of government' which I do not support.

Perhaps, the Audits Division's 'work-plan' should be reconfigured to solve the administrative mystery, as to 'why' the aforementioned information request is not readily available in 'real-time'.

There is much suffering amongst unfortunate children. [HB 4012] is 'wasted money' that could be applied to relieve some of the suffering instead of creating larger inefficient government agencies.

Many 'Thanks' to all who are involved in 'child-welfare services.'

Child-welfare services is an 'emotionally draining' profession requiring corresponding commensurate compensation.

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