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Dear Representative Jason Conger,

I'm an Oregon Constituent opposing HB 2869.

Being a holder of 3 valid Federal mining claims, I am already required to file and pay our annual affidavit of assessment work forms to the county clerks, "Including instruments required under ORS 517.210 to maintain mining claims" and this exemption is already in the Low Income Housing for Veterans Bill 2417 for the current session.

If I do not file my annual paperwork, I will lose my claims and they will be open to be claimed by others.

The county do not survey Federal lands, only county lands and do not apply to us.

Respectfully,
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