

Oregon Independent Automotive Dealers Association, representing over 400 Used Car Dealers in the State of Oregon, fully endorses the changes (amendments) brought forward in SB 0613 and applaud the efforts of the leadership from within our industry who have come together with one goal in mind, to find a workable way to provide quality education for the independent auto dealers of Oregon. By adding the commitment of policing the quality, structure, content and compliancy of education classes and programs to be provided, with these we can only strengthen the end product of our industry education. We believe that education is critical; therefore assuring that the dealers have access to updates, changes and over all knowledge in every aspect of their business dealings, therefore the more educated our dealers are within the laws, rules and regulations, the better compliant service they can provide.

We believe and support the changes in:

SB 0633 SECTION 1. (1) (b) completion of 12 credit hours of continued education within the 3 year dealer license renewal time frame. We fully support the changes that designates that no dealer can repeat a course which they have previously received continued education credits. (4) We also support a standard review of continued education and testing program every two years by all organizations providing education.

SECTION 3. (1-4) We stand behind the dealerships ability to designate an employee who qualifies with in the amendments of this section to except and take responsibility in all aspects of precertification and continued education classes.

In essences OIADA supports SB 0613.

With Support and Commitment to Quality Education,

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