



Legislative Testimony

OREGON DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

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The Honorable Floyd Prozanski, Chair
Senate Judiciary Committee

RE: House Bill 2143A

Chair Prozanski and members of the Senate Judiciary Committee, I am Jeremiah Stromberg, Assistant Director of Community Corrections for the Oregon Department of Corrections (DOC). I am here to testify in support of House Bill 2143A.

The Oregon Department of Corrections currently conducts inspections of county jails, and supports this bill which leaves the responsibility for jail inspections to the county sheriff. This legislation allows a more efficient use of resources and continues to ensure that jails are safe places to house Oregon's offenders.

I appreciate your consideration of this bill and welcome your questions.

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