

Chair Mitch Greenlick, Vice-Chair Cedrick Hayden, Vice-Chair Rob Nosse and
Committee Members;

Thank you for allowing me to submit testimony for SB 662, on behalf of the Oregon Board of Dentistry. The Senior Attorney General assigned to the Board and Board staff recently met with OHSU School of Dentistry's Dean, Dr. Phillip Marucha, and his staff to discuss additional proposed "housekeeping" changes to ORS 679.115, changes that were meant to clarify the intent of the law. Although the additional clarifications that were agreed upon at the meeting were not incorporated in the final amended version of SB 662, the Board, in keeping with its regulatory role in regards to dentists and hygienists has reviewed the proposed legislation and has no objections to the changes.

Thank you,
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