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Subject: HB 3188B Senator Brian Boquist COMMENTS.

Good Morning,

In light of hearing Senator Brian Boquist confess to not having any concerns with regards to bear on his ranch because the "Asians have poached them all out", lead me to further serious concerns about HB 3188B. Not only is HB 3188B not in compliance with ORS 601.002 (please see links to both ORS, HB 3188B and hearing below), but neither is ORS 497.655 in complicate with Oregon's codified body of statutory law. ORS 497.655 grossly misquotes ORS 601.002. ORS 497.655 is the driving force behind HB 3188B. It "is the same program already in use" is also not quite accurate. There are great differences between this bill and the prior program and Senator Brian Boquist's comment brings one of the major differences to light. We have a poaching issue for cougar, bear, bobcat, fox and wolf - all of which are highly sought after on the Asian Black- Market of wildlife body parts. ORS 497.655 has arbitrarily added these popular Black-Market species and misquotes ORS 601.002, an ORS that clearly does not include these animals.

It is probable the HB 3188B will open the floodgates to Asian pseudo-hunters and, in effect, create the Asian demand for trophies and "legal" source for the black-market medicine and body parts of the specific species mentioned in ORS 497.655 and misrepresented in ORS 601.002.

Do NOT pass HB 3188B.

Kindest regards,
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HB 3188B:
<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/HB3188>

ORS 602.002:
<http://www.oregonlaws.org/ors/610.002>

ORS 497.655:
[ORS 497.655 - Voluntary contributions - 2013 Oregon Revised Statutes](#)

The hearing link (about 8 to 9 mins into the hearing Rep Witt speaks:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-XlI5ehbfu8>



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Chapter: 497 - Licenses and Permits, Section: 655, Year: 2013, Last Accessed: 2014-04-27

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