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Committee Assistant for the House Committee on Rules Samantha Koopman OR

Dear Committee Assistant for the House Committee on Rules Koopman,

The people of Oregon and the entire US are speaking up for universal health care accessibility. However, small-dollar contributions are far outweighed by donations from the insurance and pharmaceutical industries industries, who then exert pressure on elected officials to act in the interest of the industries, rather than of constituents.

And while industry interests are measured in profits, constituent interests are measured in health outcomes. HB 2578 would take a step toward equalizing the voice of constituents in these and other policy decisions. Therefore, I urge you to support HB 2578.

Sincerely,

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