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Dear Senators:

I testified in support of Oregon's Toxic Free Kids Act and recently learned that a bill (SB 836) is being considered that will weaken essential protections for children and their families in our state.

As an environmental chemist, I am well aware of the increasingly strong evidence linking serious health issues, like asthma, cancer, and reproductive and neurological impairment, to toxic chemicals present in products used by children and in their homes. The Toxic Free Kids Act was a vitally important step toward reducing children's exposure to these chemicals.

We must not become a dumping ground for toxic products that harm our children's health as other states move forward on protecting their children's health. I ask that you vote against this bill.

Regards,

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