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Dear Senators,

I am writing to share my support for SB 687, as I heard you are all voting on this bill tomorrow. As a mother who chooses not to vaccinate, it is important to me that this bill pass.

I choose not to vaccinate, not out of abuse or neglect, but out of love for my daughter and an earnest desire for her physical well-being. I regularly read about vaccines, no matter what the bias, and the more research that I do, the less comfortable I am with injecting these into my daughter. There is just not enough evidence that vaccines are safe, especially in the high doses that children receive presently. There needs to be long-term, third-party research that examines the results of vaccines on our children's physical and psychological well-being. In addition to the unknown results of injecting these viruses into our children, the ingredients included in these concoctions are terrible! As a mother who reads all the labels of the food that I bring into our home (so as to avoid artificial ingredients, preservatives, and GMOs), I cringe when I read the ingredient list of vaccines. I would *never* feed my child food with those ingredients, so why would I want to inject them directly into her body?!

Please know that there are many loving parents who choose not to vaccinate, who are intelligent, informed, and concerned, not abusive. If there were vaccines that were proven to be safe, effective, and gentle on our bodies, with only wholesome ingredients, a lot more parents would choose them. In the meantime, please protect our right to make this decision for our children, just as my friends who choose to vaccinate their children have the protected right to do so.

Thank you for all that you do for our beloved state of Oregon!

Sincerely,  
Jaimie Gordon