



Oregon Hay Products, Inc.
"Committed to Quality"

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Oregon Hay has been in business since 1990. We are located in Boardman, Oregon. We are in the export hay business shipping compressed hay products to overseas markets, primarily to Japan and China. Compressing hay or doubling the density is vital to our business to maximize weight in 40' export containers for transportation. We currently have 20 full time employee's for year round employment. Our current grower base comprises of approximately 75 growers spread out throughout Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

We are competing with other parts of the world who ship forage products into the same markets. Current shipping issues and costs have put us at a disadvantage in the markets we ship to. Any and all reductions of cost are beneficial to our continued ability to try and be competitive in the markets we serve. We strongly support the changes that are proposed for Senate Bill 596.

Respectfully Submitted

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