

To: Senate Rules Committee

From: Joshua Schield, Oregon constituent

Re: HB 2927 – National Popular Vote Interstate Compact

Date: June 20, 2017

To whom it may concern,

I am an Oregon voter and I am writing to express my enthusiastic support for HB 2927 and the National Popular Vote in Oregon. I wholeheartedly support HB 2927 as is because I believe that one person should equal one vote, regardless of where you cast your ballot.

I do not support SB 825, which would refer this issue to voters, because it is an attempt to weaken NPV's chances in our state. I believe it is the legislature's responsibility to determine how our electors vote in the electoral college, and we shouldn't send the issue to voters where it could be defeated by wealthy interest groups from out of state.

Please pass HB 2927 out of committee and help ensure that one person = one vote in Oregon. As an Oregonian, I would be so grateful for your efforts to help us elect our President by national popular vote and join our neighbors in Washington and California in the interstate compact.

Thank you for the important work you do every day!

Sincerely,

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