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TO: House Committee on Human Services and Housing
RE: SB 1526- Relating to the parental rights of individuals with disabilities

To Chair Keny-Guyer and Members of the House Committee on Human Services and Housing-

I am writing this testimony to urge your support for SB 1526. Equality and the protection of vulnerable minorities are constitutional values I hold dear, as do the vast majority of Oregonians. The law should reflect our values.

Parents with disabilities faced with the possible termination of their parental rights deserve the increased legal protection against discrimination that SB 1526 would provide.

Thank you,

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