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Cc: HHC Exhibits
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Dear Chairwoman Salinas & members of the House Health Committee;

My name is Sara Soltani, and I am here today in opposition of HB3603. I have been an Oregon resident for 39 years, but I will take my 3 children and leave the state we call home if this legislation passes. Our pediatrician has said we should no longer vaccinate due to family history of adverse reactions & genetic predisposition, yet he won't write my boys a medical exemption. While you seek to close this non-medical exemption "loophole" I seek to maintain bodily autonomy and do what's best for my family.

HB3063 puts families like mine in a precarious situation. Many of us have children who will no longer be able to attend school, often requiring one parent to leave the work force, and forcing some to leave the state or the country if vaccines become mandated.

I for one will not stand by and watch another one of my children become vaccine injured with a liability free product that congress has deemed "unavoidably unsafe"

Where there is a risk, there must be a choice.

I would like to talk to you today about what it would look like if we repealed the 1986 National Vaccine Injury Act;

First and foremost, we most certainly would NOT be seeing legislation like this trying to mandate vaccines on a one-size fits all schedule.

Doctors would be more inclined to find the susceptible group,

like my sons, who have genetic polymorphisms that make them more prone to injury or death from vaccines. They would start testing ALL children prior to vaccinating them, and Vaccine adverse event reporting would become mandatory and actually get enforced.

We would remove conflicts of interest within regulatory agencies. We wouldn't allow the former head of the CDC, Julie Gerberding, to nearly triple the vaccine schedule- then leave to become the head of Merck's Vaccine division, a lucrative position she still holds. Congress would subpoen Dr. William Thompson, the CDC whistleblower who has admitted falsifying safety studies.

The ENTIRETY of the schedule would be tested for safety, not just studies on the individual vaccines themselves, but on the synergistic effects of multiple doses given at once, at the intervals in which they are currently given. Never once has a study like this been done, which HHS was recently forced to admit via a FOIA request/lawsuit they lost. We NEED accountability!

You are supposed to be a representative of the people, how many children do you consider to be acceptable collateral damage from this policy change? It is the equivalent of saying that protecting immunocompromised children from disease is MORE important than protecting an even larger percentage of children who will become injured or die FROM the vaccines. I urge you to consider this hypocrisy and stop doing the pharmaceutical companies bidding for them.

Thank you for your time. Sara Soltani