

Please accept this email as my testimony against HB 3063 currently being heard by the Oregon State Legislature. Some ingredients in vaccines can be dangerous for some individuals and this is clearly noted not only on the vaccine insert paperwork provided by the manufacturers, but on the CDC (US Centers for Disease Control) website itself. As of 1986 the manufacturers were given immunity from prosecution in the United States in the event of adverse reactions including illness and/or death. If in fact a risky medical procedure becomes mandatory, liability by the responsible party (the manufacturer) in the case of injury or death must first exist, as vaccine injury can and does happen. Furthermore this bill would limit exemptions to be "medical" only, which as seen in California (where similar legislation was recently passed), are virtually impossible for families to receive as many doctors there are hesitant to write these exemptions as some of them have experienced backlash for doing so.

Please let it be noted that I strongly oppose passage of this HB 3063! Where there is risk, there must be choice.

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