To Chair Prozanski, Vice Chair Thatcher, and Members of the Committee on Senate Judiciary

I am a resident of Oregon and supporter of sexual assault survivors.

- > Having sexual assault survivors go back to court to renew their restraining orders annually can be traumatic and unnecessary extra effort. This restraining order needs to be extended.
- > Protecting vulnerable people, children, survivors of repeat sexual assault offenders, survivors of sexual assault by family is important and their protection deserves to be permanent.
- What does it remedy:
- > It prevents the responsibility of keeping themselves safe fall on the sexual assault survivors.
- > It protects the most vulnerable in the community, especially those who have jobs that do not allow them to take days off to go to court.
- My position on this Bill is that I support it and I would like it to get passed.
- I support <u>SB 482</u> along with it's "-1" amendment. Thank you Chair Prozanski, Vice Chair Thatcher, Members of the Committee on Senate Judiciary

-Erica Moor Katz