

Chair Tawna Sanchez and House Committee on Judiciary,

I am writing to ask you to support HB 4107, the CROWN Act, sponsored by Rep Bynum. Oregon should join the national movement to outlaw racial discrimination that manifests in the form of discrimination against certain hairstyles worn by black men and women. This bill makes sense and will promote dignity and equity for black Oregonians - let's be a leader on this issue. Please pass this bill out of committee and support it on the floor.

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