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To: Joint Subcommittee on Public Safety; others

Re: **[HB 5004]**...*Consider renaming the "Audits Division" to the, "Office of the Auditor."*

The "Office of the Auditor" needs to stand alone, a Direct Report to the Legislature.

Below is my testimony submitted to the Senate Committee on Education on the proposed legislation.

I OPPOSE [SB 234]; [SB 235]; [SB 241] and [SB 756]...*"Don't Bogart that joint...my friend."*

Have you folks been a smokin' some of that really fine Oregon marijuana?

Once in a while, you have to retard your space travel and embrace reality.

Oregon has "No" money for these programs.

You have wasted staff time and resources getting this far in the legislative process.

Maybe you could tack on some fees to **[HB 3252]** and **[HB 3253]**?

But, the Governor might not want to give-up any marijuana revenue to support your programs.

I sincerely wish Oregon had the money for these programs.

You don't even know how much one of these programs is going to cost.

There are "No" Revenue and or Fiscal Impact Statements or even Budget Reports for any of the legislation.

You should have paid some attention to **[HB 5004]** at the Joint Subcommittee on Public Safety.

You would see how dire the Corrections Department's Financials appear needing better internal controls.

So there you have it.

You're broke.

Ouch!

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ David S. Wall

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