

Dear Chair Nathanson and members of the Committee:

I am testifying in support of HB-2357 because the Oregon Forest Resources Institute does not present sound or responsible scientific information to our schools and the general public. I support the idea of prohibiting OFRI from engaging in "generalized advertising for public education."

As an Oregon taxpayer during this time of crisis, I am outraged that OFRI is abusing tax dollars, distorting science, and helping to destroy our forests on behalf of the clearcutting of Big Timber. This MUST stop."

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