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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Labor and Business

Measure: SB1549

VOTE NO on on SB1549.

Under NO circumstances should we cap the pay of Registered Nurses. RN's deserve better. We're there for you, when you are at your lowest. Now it's your turn to be there for us.

As one of the few Registered Nurses left in the state of Oregon, I can no longer tolerate Oregon's festering health systems and low pay. Right now our emergency departments are overflowing, critical surgeries are being delayed and staff are fleeing the field and never looking back. And the only solutions our state leadership put forth, is to pay our front line workers less than the states around us. RN's are not disposable. We are well educated and pride ourselves in serving our communities. Still, for us, serving is a choice. We the RN's of Oregon have a choice in where we work and where we do not. Lets make Oregon one of those places we chose to work.

I and my RN collogues VOTE NO on on SB1549.