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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon Opposes SB 1552

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I VEHEMENTLY OPPOSE [SB 1552] with Extreme Prejudice.

Taken from the Text pf [SB 1552], "...For the purpose of ameliorating the impact of discrimination against historically underserved students, an equitable lottery selection process may include weights that favor historically underserved students. As used in this paragraph, "historically underserved students" are students who are at risk because of any combination of their race, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, ethnicity, disability, income level, proficiency in the English language, socioeconomic status or geographic location..."

You cannot defeat racism with racism. [SB 1552] is blatantly an attempt to codify 'systemic racism' into Oregon law.

'The Money should follow the Child'. parents should be able to choose what type of charter school to send their children without any regards to the racist and divisive crap [SB 1552] will foist upon them.

Let us also not forget, the School District who tries to indoctrinate school children in; Black Lives Matter-Marxist/racist declarations, Critical Race Theory, The 1619 Project and the LGBTQ issues without parental authorization.

Taxpayer money allocated to the child's education should 'follow the child' to the parent's school of choice, 'School District' edicts be damned.

Science, Technology, Engineering and Math [STEM] along with; reading, writing, history, social studies, music, theater, physical fitness and art should be the curriculum parents could choose instead of the garbage being taught in Oregon's Public Schools.

There was a time, Oregon Public Schools were the 'best in the Nation'.

Focus on making Oregon Public Schools, 'Great Again'.

David S. Wall Mr. Oregon Concurs.