

I OPPOSE [SB 203]...Eliminate the systemic racism codified in, "Affirmative Action."

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"SB 203 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY House Committee on Emergency Management, General Government, and Veterans"

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[SB 203] states, "SECTION 1. ORS 243.315 is amended to read: 243.315.

(1) There is hereby created in the [office of the Governor] Oregon Department of Administrative Services the position of Director of Affirmative Action.

The primary duty of the occupant of this position shall be to direct and monitor affirmative action programs in all state agencies to implement the public policy stated in ORS 243.305. [The director shall be appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate pursuant to section 4, Article III of the Oregon Constitution.]

(2) The legislative and judicial branches shall each select a person to monitor the effectiveness of the branches' affirmative action programs.

SECTION 2. The duties, functions and powers of the office of the Governor relating to the Director of Affirmative Action are imposed upon, transferred to and vested in the Oregon Department of Administrative Services."

ORS 243.305: https://oregon.public.law/statutes/ors_243.305

Section 4, Article III of the Oregon Constitution: https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/bills_laws/Pages/OrConst.aspx

"Affirmative Action" is a systemic racism tool used to give one group "preferential treatment under the law" instead of "equal treatment under the law."

How much does the "Affirmative Action" organization in Oregon cost the taxpayers?

A well-managed Civil Service System would negate the systemic racism, which unfortunately and uniquely characterizes the "Affirmative Action" functions within the State of Oregon.

***The 14th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America guarantees "equal treatment under the law." Why does Oregon need "Affirmative Action?"

"Equity is not Equality and should not be practiced."

"Equity" is a racist tool associated with Marxist-Communist government activities.

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Mr. Oregon Concurr and says, "Woke practices threaten equality in our cities, counties, state and Nation."

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