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On Behalf
Of:

Committee: House Committee On Emergency Management, General
Government, and Veterans

Measure: HB4083

I am writing in support of HB 4083.

I am a retired physician. My husband is also retired and worked many years in the public sector.

His PERS pension is an important part of our retirement plan.

I strongly support HB 4083 — the COAL Act. When the Treasury invests in coal, it puts some of our monies at risk.

Coal is a dying industry.

We need the Oregon Treasury to protect PERS and the rest of the Treasury's investments as we transition towards a green economy.

This is an easy lift for the short session.

Please vote the COAL Act out of committee. Thank you for your support of HB 4083. For PERS recipients, and for the climate.

Sincerely,

Melanie Plaut MD