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On Behalf Of:  
Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and  
Wildfire  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB769

I am writing today because I strongly oppose SB 769.

Hunting cougars with dogs is cruel no matter where it occurs. Oregon voters banned this practice statewide in 1994 when we approved Ballot Measure 18.

Further, scientific research shows that hunting cougars with dogs will not make people, pets or farm animals safer or increase populations of other animals such as deer and elk.

Please speak out and vote AGAINST SB 769.

Thank you for your consideration.