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Statement before the House Committee on Behavioral Health and Health Care  
Support for HB 3045: Enabling the State Board of Pharmacy to conduct safety evaluation of licensee

Rep Rob Nosse, Chair; Rep Cyrus Javadi and Rep Travis Nelson Vice-Chairs, and esteemed committee members:

My name is Ian Doyle, Legislative Member of the Oregon Society of Health-System Pharmacists, representing pharmacists and technicians working in organized health systems in Oregon to advance the practice of pharmacy and assure that Oregon is a model of excellence in health-system pharmacy.

**OSHP supports HB 3045.** We believe passage of this bill will engender the State Board of Pharmacy to more appropriately assess the well-being of a licensee who is under investigation, and provide opportunity for improved decision-making by the board in its determinations of a case and any resulting action on one's license. It is right and appropriate for all healthcare licensing boards to have this capability, as has been previously established for the Boards of Medicine and Nursing, for example. We believe that HB 3045 will improve patient safety.

Upon passage of this bill, OSHP will greet opportunities to engage with the Board of Pharmacy in its subsequent rule-writing for implementation.

Sincerely, on behalf of OSHP,  
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