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HB 4091

Honorable Chair Thuy Tran and Members of the House Committee on Emergency Management and Veterans,

Thank you for your service and for the opportunity to testify in support of HB 4091, a bill that provides guardrails for the activation of the Oregon National Guard.

I have lived in Oregon almost 30 years and am horrified by recent, unprecedented developments related to the National Guard. President Trump threatens to use the National Guard to implement his own political agenda rather than for the good of the people. HB 4091 ensures that the Oregon National Guard is not mobilized for federal purposes without clear and specific reasons, protecting Oregon's autonomy in managing our own resources.

I urge you to protect Oregon and our people--and vote in favor of HB 4091.

Sincerely,

Denise Jessup