



February 18, 2026

To: Representative Nathanson, Chair, and Members of the House  
Committee on Revenue

From: Oregon Developmental Disabilities Coalition

RE: Senate Bill 1507A (Support)

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To Chair Nathanson, Vice-Chairs Reschke and Walters, and Members of the  
Committee:

The Oregon Developmental Disabilities Coalition supports Senate Bill 1507A. Budget reductions alone cannot solve the budget crisis created by House Resolution 1. Securing the state's revenue will prevent cuts to human services programs, education, childcare, and critical services for children, seniors, low-income families, and people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD).

SB 1507A is a narrowly tailored bill that rejects only some of the costliest tax breaks for corporations and high-income individuals. In doing so, it will generate over \$300 million in funding for essential programs that otherwise face reduction or elimination. Disconnecting Oregon from some of the federal tax cuts creates a more nuanced tax policy that is the right fit for Oregonians, instead of blindly mirroring costly tax breaks under H.R. 1.

The policies under H.R. 1 not only passed hundreds of millions in added costs onto state agencies but also compounded those added costs with hundreds of millions in tax cuts. Both the added costs and planned tax breaks threaten critical services, and both costs and tax policy must be addressed to solve the problems H.R. 1 created. Balancing the budget by cutting programs that Oregonians with IDD rely on is the wrong approach, and SB 1507A presents a better alternative.



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The DD Coalition urges you to vote “YES” on SB 1507A. Thank you for your consideration.

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The Oregon Developmental Disabilities Coalition (DD Coalition) is a group of approximately 30 organizations across Oregon that promote quality services, equity, and community integration for Oregonians with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) and their families. Our members include the Oregon Self-Advocacy Coalition (a statewide coalition of people with I/DD or “self-advocates”), peer-based family support organizations, support services brokerages, advocacy organizations, and developmental disability providers.