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I strongly support SB 1539 which allows an individual to verify whether cattle are pregnant without holding a valid license issued by the Oregon State Veterinary Medical Examining Board under certain circumstances. There are numerous cattle ranches in Oregon that are rural and remote with well meaning and knowledgeable ranchers. Just as humans frequent have baby births at home without doctor or mid-wife assistance, the caring rancher does not want to loose any livestock due to Oregon state mandated waiting times. Again, I strongly support SB 1539.