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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1509

Chair Bowman, Vice Chairs Elmer and Pham, and members of the House Committee on Rules,

My name is Marc Liverman, and I live in Portland, Oregon. I am writing to testify in strong support of SB 1509, which is a good governance bill that seeks to add additional security measures to our election process to ensure that presidential electors in Oregon vote faithfully and in alignment with the public's will as it relates to the President of the United States.

Twenty-four states already have laws like this in place to guard against this threat, including many red, blue, and purple western states. This bill is not about party or politics, it's about principle.

By passing SB 1509, the Oregon Legislative Assembly would be protecting our state's voters, protecting the voice of our state, protecting our presidential electors, and helping protect our nation's democracy by reducing the chances that our presidential elections in 2028 or beyond could be overturned.

Please ensure that SB 1509 passes out of committee.

Thank you for your interest in fair and honest elections,

Marc Liverman