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The Honorable Floyd Prozanski
Chair, Senate Committee On Judiciary
900 Court St. NE, S-413
Salem, Oregon 97301

Re: Senate Bill 379

Dear Senator Prozanski and Members of the Senate Judiciary Committee:

The Roseburg Area Chamber of Commerce encourages you to oppose SB 379. In protection of our local businesses, the Roseburg Area Chamber of Commerce has long opposed any legislation that would weaken or undermine the Oregon Supreme Court's decision in *Emerald Steel v. BOLI* or any attempt to circumvent federal marijuana laws burdening employers and putting Oregon employees at greater risk.

The Roseburg Area Chamber supports the right of employers to maintain zero tolerance policies on marijuana use. The chamber also supports the right of employers to require blanket post-accident/injury drug testing. SB 379 is preempted by the Drug-Free Workplace Act.

An additional key aspect of the Roseburg Area Chamber's opposition to SB 379 is the fact that there are no acknowledged and accepted tests for impairment due to marijuana use. The passage of SB 379 would, without question, put many Douglas County employees at risk in our timber/wood products, manufacturing, heavy equipment and many other industries.

The chamber deems SB 379 unnecessary as an employee's use of legal prescription drugs is already protected under law.

On behalf of Douglas County businesses and their employees and those throughout the state of Oregon, we respectfully request rejection of SB 379.

Best regards,

ROSEBURG AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Debra L. Fromdahl, IOM
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cc: Members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary
Members of Douglas County's State Legislative Delegation



To advocate for and be the voice of the business community in the greater Roseburg area.
To strengthen, enhance and protect our members through political advocacy, economical development, community promotion and member programs and services.