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VOTE EXPLANATION

April 19, 2021

Timothy G. Sekerak
Chief Clerk of the House
State Capitol Building, H271
Salem, OR 97301

RE: Vote Explanation on my NO VOTE for HB 2495

Dear Chief Clerk Sekerak,

Making sure our children are safe from toxins, especially in their toys, is extremely important. This should be the law of the land across the United States. Oregon passed legislation that would assist in keeping children safe in 2015. The third phase of this legislation was not rolled out until just a few short months ago and is still being implemented. This legislation is overreaching and premature. It would allow OHA to put strict classifications on certain products and make Oregon an island for products.

Respectfully,

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