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VOTE EXPLANATION

June 26, 2020

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

RE: YES Vote Explanation on HB 4201

Dear Chief Clerk Sekerak,

I voted YES on HB 4201 for the following reasons and more... This bill establishes a Joint Committee on Transparent Police and Use of Force Reform. I look forward to my law enforcement colleagues' work in these areas. I am, however, disappointed in the "whereas's," which many feel were unnecessarily added to the legislation, and their politically-driven rhetoric that will continue to divide rather than unite.

Respectfully,

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