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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 13, 2023

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

RE: Vote Explanation on HB 5014 – (A)

Dear Chief Clerk Sekerak,

Please accept this letter as my official vote explanation on House Bill 5014 – (A).

Knowing that this bill was going to pass, I submitted a no vote as an indication that I believe we can do a better and more efficient job of appropriating these billions of dollars. I am fully in favor of giving our students a fully funded learning experience, but I am not in favor of expanding government spending, especially when we are not seeing the results that indicate Oregon is moving in the right direction. More discussion needs to happen around how we allocate our taxpayer dollars. Therefore, I am in opposition of House Bill 5014 – (A).

Respectfully submitted into the House record.

Sincerely,

Lucetta Elmer
Oregon State Representative
District 24