

LUCETTA ELMER
STATE REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 24



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 11, 2023

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

RE: Vote Explanation on SB 202-(A)

Dear Chief Clerk Sekerak,

Please accept this letter as my official vote explanation on Senate Bill 202-(A)

I support the concept of this bill; however, I cannot vote yes because of the portion of this bill that makes the person a ward of the state until they are 21 years of age. Therefore, taking away their right to obtain a driver's license, join the military, travel out of state, or get married without permission. For those reasons, I elected to vote "no" today on the House floor.

Respectfully submitted into the House record.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lucetta Elmer".

Lucetta Elmer

Oregon State Representative

District 24