
From : "Rep Buckley" <rep.peterbuckley@state.or.us>
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Subject : RE: HB 3008
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Edgar,

Thanks for your email. There are close to 3000 bills introduced each session, the majority of which don't go anywhere. The media loves to pick up on the potentially controversial ones--even if they know the bills have no chance of passing. HB 3008 is one of those bills that I think I can safely say was dead on arrival. I know of no plans by legislative leaders to pursue the passage of this bill, and Rep. Buckley would not be supportive of the bill in its current form if it were to somehow make it out of committee.

Thanks,

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From: Edgar Hee [<mailto:ejhee@juno.com>]
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The Honorable Peter Buckley,

I represent Siskiyou Velo, the largest bicycle club in Southern Oregon with membership including your constituents.

Siskiyou Velo prepared the position paper attached to this E-mail letter as a PDF file on House Bill 3008 establishing registration and licensing of bicycles.

We appreciate the intent of HB 3008 to increase funding for bicycle facilities and creating a bicycle registration data base. However, we are concerned about a number of aspects of HB 3008 and detail these concerns in the attached position paper.

Based on our analysis of HB 3008, we do not support passage of HB 3008 as written.

Please contact me if you have any questions or comments on the Siskiyou Velo position paper on HB 3008.

Respectfully submitted,

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