

My name is Ralph Newton. I reside at 2464 cloverlawn Drive, Grants Pass Or., 97527. When first moving to Oregon, appx 4 years ago, I tried to purchase a new hunting rifle. A simple 308 bolt action hunting rifle. The application came back not just delayed but denied. It turned out the State Police had interpreted a simple misdemeanor as a felony. Nearly two months later, after many attempts to rectify the situation it was finally determined I was correct, and took possession of my new rifle. This citizen believes SB-941 is nothing more than an effort to make legal commerce between private, honorable, citizens prohibitively difficult, and will do little to nothing to keep firearms out of the hands of prohibited persons. I respectfully request you work diligently to deny passage of SB-941. Regards., Ralph Newton