Representatives,

SB 1551 has been withdrawn due the backlash of the citizens of Oregon. Now we are faced with HB 4147 which is another attempt to restrict and ultimately eliminate our 2nd Amendment rights. Current State law specifically states that if the State cannot definitively produce a reason a person is barred from purchasing a firearm after 3 days then the seller may release said firearm to the purchaser. HB 4147 would eliminate that language and allow (or encourage?) the State to delay, perhaps indefinitely, issuing an approval without any accountability. Under this bill the State can choose to simply refuse to issue any gun purchase approvals. This is tantamount to a revocation of our Constitutional rights without due process. HB 4147 can and may do away with the 2nd Amendment and due process and cripple our gun rights. This and other bills already passed and under consideration are intentionally chipping away at our Constitutional Rights. The real agenda of the supporters of this bill is to ultimately outlaw and confiscate all firearms.

I strongly urge a no vote on HB 4147

Respectfully,

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