

Dear Mr. Courtney,

I have read some of the wholly outlandish wording in SB 978. I cannot believe anyone with a modicum of intelligence would concoct this anti-2nd Amendment and anti-American bill.

Every amendment to this bill, is an affront to Free men and women, everywhere!

I would say this: When something is right, it doesn't need to be justified. When something is true, it doesn't need to be rationalized.

That applies to the 2nd Amendment and Americans right to self defense.

These are unnecessary restrictions on the citizens of Oregon.

Necessity is the plea for every infringement of human freedom.

It is the argument of tyrants.

It is the creed of slaves.

~William Pitt, in the House of Commons-November 18,1783

Respectfully submitted,

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