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Please accept this letter as my formal testimony for SB 978

I have read with great concern the current listing of items included in Senate Bill 978. Most of them do not seem aimed at specific issues of criminality, but rather seem positioned to create greater encumbrances upon Oregon taxpayers exercising their Right to Keep and Bear Arms. It is worrisome enough to see a bill that began as something ten lines long mushroom into forty-four pages of amendments, but reading the details contained therein is of even greater concerns. I have concerns with nearly all of the items listed in SB 978. To keep this short, anything in this bill aimed at law-abiding citizens seems misplaced and wrongly focused.

Please, PLEASE stop the attacks on our Second Amendment freedoms and focus on the criminals violating existing laws, who aren't going to follow these new regulations anyway.

Respectfully, Kevin Monk Jacksonville, Oregon