

To whom it may concern,

The continued assault on the Constitution's Second Amendment finds the attempt to alter the Rights of The People of Oregon is known as infringement.

To quote: A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.

The actions to pass bills/acts such as SB 978, HB 2505, HB 3299 and HB 3329 fall under the category of infringement as such breaks the law of the Constitution of The United States of America.

I demand these bills be tossed into the garbage and cease and desist to any that dare to infringe on Oregon citizens rights to bear arms.

American citizens have a Right to defend themselves, citizens who have property stolen to commit crimes are not criminals and the attempt to label them as such is undecoming.

Furthering the agenda to infringe upon the second amendment, such as creating gun free zones, will only bring further harm to that of law abiding citizens for criminals have no intention of playing by any rules, they will not turn over their weaponry when they intend to harm someone and disarming those who can protect readily in the situation is foolish.

To quote "when seconds matter, police are only minutes away."

Disarming the public will only lead to injury and potential death to larger scales.

Thank you for your time,
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Thank you for accepting my testimony on SB978.

Senator's SB 978 has many faults but one important issue that needs to be raised is the fact that anyone owning an unserialized firearm will instantly be subject to a Class B Felony for the simple act of possessing a firearm that has been legal to own for generations. It was common for firearms made prior to 1968 to be manufactured with out a serial number meeting the Federal requirements that SB 978 specifies or any serial number at all. There are tens of thousands of these firearms owned by residents of this State. Many of these have been passed down from relatives through multiple generations. SB 978 will make the owners of these firearms subject to a Class B Felony for each unserialized firearm they own. The Federal codes SB 978 specified do not list a path for an individual to serialize an already manufactured firearm from a potentially unknown manufacture.

I urge the Committee to vote no on SB 978 and spare many law abiding Oregonian's from be turned in to felons with the passage of this bill.