

Dear all,

HB 4005 would be a poor law. It would make criminals out of every gun owner in the state if Oregon. It goes against the Oregon constitution, as well as the federal constitution. There is factual evidence that laws like HB 4005 have zero effect on crime. It is basically a racist and sexist law. Lower income families, that have a firearm for protection, can not always afford the price for to lock up their firearm.

Take for instance, that you are a single mom with a violent ex husband. You have a restraining order. But one night he breaks into your house and trys stabbing you. Since you can not undo the lock on your defensive firearm, he kills you. Now, say the same thing happens, but your firearm is next to you on the nightstand. He comes at you with the knife. You point your firearm at him and he runs away. No one died, especially you.

Thank you for your time

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