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To: House Subcommittee on Equitable Policing; others

Re: I OPPOSE [HB 2162]...as written....

Whenever I see legislation "emanating from" or at the "request from" the Governor's Office; I am compelled to research the proposed subject matter with closer scrutiny.

What is particularly offensive with **[HB 2162]** is the vague and ambiguous wording as stated in the, **"Text: [Page 1 at (5-12)]."** The "Potential changes in Police Safety Training Standards and Training" should have proposed examples pertaining to areas of Police Training which are absent and or incomplete.

I support Training and Training Program Updates for Police Officers.

Police Agencies perform this function to the best of their abilities, where their "abilities" are determined and influenced by budgetary allocations.

Now let us review the Portland's City Council's shenanigans of, "Defunding the Portland Police Bureau."

The valiant and exceptionally honorable men and women; who are dutiful and loyal members of the Portland Police Bureau (Herein PPB) are currently and unfortunately; encumbered by some of the worst elected political morons on the planet.

Portland's City Council has allowed, enabled and facilitated the sheer destruction of Portland by urban terrorists and or anarchists.

Portland's City Council has taken an official position to, "Defund the Police."

So I ask you, where is the PPB going to receive additional revenues to accomplish the vagaries associated with **[HB 2162]**?

*Note: With the increases in violence suffered by the good people of Portland, at the hands of unknown assailants; have the victims been, "Equitably; shot, stabbed, maimed and or murdered" or are the aforementioned unfortunate human beings representative of one race?

Maybe there should be a Subcommittee, of the Subcommittee on Equitable Policing, to address and study the "Equitable;" "shooting, stabbing, maiming and or the murder" of innocent victims arising from the, "Defunding of the PPB?"

Maybe there should be, "Training and Training Program Updates" for elected political morons?

Again, I support Training and Training Program Updates for Police Officers.

Have a good day.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ David S. Wall