Please vote no on 2543. This proposal, if it should become legislation, will do more harm than any possibility of good. What is the purpose of such legislation? This looks to me like the State of Oregon is incompetent at doing a mandate placed upon themselves, but now want to shift such incompetence to the lawful citizens of the State of Oregon. I am not placing blame on the Oregon State Police, perhaps if they were to receive proper staffing and budget, they could accomplish their responsibility in a timely manner.

This bill diminishes the public opinion of Oregon Lawmakers, giving us the impression you are the problem. This proposal has the direct potential to endanger more citizens than it could possibly keep safe, especially for women. I have read of many instances of people who have made attempts to purchase a weapon of self defense, only to be delayed by laws to delay sales. Too many people have died or been seriously injured as a result. Criminals don't bother with jumping through these obstacles, most of their purchases occur on the black market. An admission by the government of New Zealand. Please do diminish lawful citizens opinion of law makers even further, by enacting useless legislation with only one purpose, to burden the lawful purchase of a self defense weapon.

Thank you for taking the time to read my sincere objection. If you did.