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I vehemently oppose HB4131 weakening restrictions on police use of chemical and munition weapons against protestors and street medics. I support the amendment for stronger protections submitted by civil rights advocates in HB 4131-3.

America has already moved too dangerously close to a police state. With a broad sweep of immunity that allows a brute sect of police to rain violence and aggression on others without any reckoning or monitoring, violence in the name of law enforcement is sanctioned and hidden behind badges mirrors too well Nazi brown shirts or KKK robes.

Clearly the police 'sect' cannot be trusted to correctly interpret "riot," to make a judgement over appropriateness of a chokehold, when or if to use a gun, and too often has abused their power through a pervasive disregard of protecting public health and civil rights.