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The "reasonable belief" standard this bill seeks to enact is bad government and abuse of process. Just because some sensitive person believes that somebody can do something because someone says something does not make it so. The traditional and correct standard for criminal threats is the threat must be Objectively Credible, not Subjectively Believed to be credible. This bill is in service to the Thought Police.

And I'm sorry: 2-3 people is not a "mass casualty" incident. This bill is replete with Orwellian doublespeak so that the bill sponsors can seem "tuff."