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This bill is yet another attack on our 2nd Amendment right and would instantly make LAW ABIDING CITIZENS criminals.

Those who actually commit crimes get away with little more than a slap on their hands and will certainly not use legal channels to obtain firearms (i.e., theft). Just a little research easily reveals that our justice system is FAILING to convict those who commit crimes in our Oregon cities. How about enforcing the laws we already have? When there are no consequences for committing crimes, lawlessness abounds, businesses close up and leave, and families move away to safer cities or states. Just look at what's happening in Portland! Is this what you really want for the entire state?

THIS BILL WILL NEVER STOP CRIMINALS FROM OBTAINING FIREARMS. a

HOWEVER, THIS BILL WILL MAKE IT DIFFICULT FOR LAW-ABIDING CITIZENS TO OBTAIN FIREARMS FOR THEIR OWN PROTECTION, which is our RIGHT. It's not a privilege to be doled out by politicians and government at will, but an INHERENT RIGHT OF WE THE PEOPLE.

Come on Oregon lawmakers! Do the right thing and uphold the Second Amendment rights of Oregonians.

I OPPOSE SB348. You should too.