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Committee: Senate Committee On Judiciary

Measure: SB348

Members of the Senate Judiciary Committee. I am writing you today in firm opposition of SB 348. The Senate bill is almost a mirror image of Measure 114, which is being challenged in State and Federal court because of its unconstitutional nature. The Oregon legislature is being influenced by outside groups like LEVO and MDA to circumvent the judicial process. What is really important to realize is that fear and emotions DO NOT outweigh constitutionally protected rights. Our rights don't come from the government and our Constitution is a document that is meant to restrain the overreach from our government. Every Oregonian should be outraged that the Oregon Senate is being used by special interest groups in a lawless manner to circumvent the system.

The Bruen decision that came out last June from the Supreme Court set a new standing on how our 2A rights are supposed to be viewed. Measure 114 and SB 348 are in direct violation of this ruling. SB 348 also raises the cost of the PTP from \$65.00 to \$150.00!

Measure 114 should never have been on the ballot and the Secretary of State, Shemia Fagan was in dereliction of her duties and should be recalled. This bill is unfair to taxpaying law-abiding Oregon citizens who legally own and seek to own firearms. We are awake, we are paying attention, and we WILL pushback on this unconstitutional law!