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I am an FFL and do some gun sales and transfers although our primary focus is responsible, pragmatic training. I am certified to train law enforcement, security professionals and civilians. The latest amendment to HB348 is changing the wording "the effective date of this Act" to December 8,2022, a date in the past. If this passes, it will make me and many of Oregon's more than 1500 FFL businesses criminals. The previous verbiage and the injunction against BM114 have allowed us to do business as we always have but this verbiage is going to retroactively slap a criminal offense on anyone who has continued to do perfectly legal business! This would certainly create a significant financial hardship on these Oregon businesses. WHY are we focusing on making legitimate business owners criminals who do EVERYTHING by the letter of the law on both state and the federal level? When Measure 114 had it's injunction, I called the Attorney General's office AND the ATF and neither could advise one way or another as to what my business reaction should be but the fact that the injunction was in place, it was not enforced so we continued to do business as we have done for years and would now face potential criminal charges for doing nothing wrong. Please correct this egregious verbiage, it serves NO purpose.