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HB3076

HB3076 is a bill that the state simply doesn't need. Our state firearms dealers are subject to already strict federal standards regarding the sale, storage, and records keeping regarding firearm sales, contrary to the misinformation by Alliance For A Safe Oregon who imply the contrary through false statistics and deceitful information. They assert that the state's firearm dealers are the go to source for criminal acquisition of firearms-this is simply not true. Oregon firearm dealers go to great lengths to ensure firearms are transferred lawfully. Regarding the straw purchase, whilst these do unfortunately happen they are not at the epidemic levels as implied by the Alliance For A Safe Oregon.

This bill is disingenuous as it will not increase gun safety, will not prevent criminals obtaining firearms because the gun dealer is not the place criminals to go to buy a firearm, as you have to show ID and pass a background check to obtain a firearm. What this bill will do is add additional layers of bureaucracy to dealers which will increase there costs and drive them out of business.