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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB243

Thank you chair , vice chair and committee for allowing me to submit opposition to SB243. So I had a chance today to listen to some of those special interest groups that own a few of you democrats on the committee pushing this terrible bill that doesn't do anything to combat crime or suicide and I think you can see it with 9 different versions of this bill. One of the moms demand action committee said that you just need more legislation like measure 110 and when that didn't work it left the legislature scrambling to fix the problem that got worse. Banning bump stocks is doing nothing for crime and senator Broadmans quote in the press was a full on lie, bump stocks account for only one mass shooting and do actually have a benefit for the disabled which is again something that you have totally ignored. Senator Prozanski your district is 23.5 million dollars short of making it's budget, the Oregon health authority is 126 million dollars over budget, the city of Portland is laying off police and fire, the city of Salem is getting ready to layoff police and fire and several teachers and you want to add a estimated \$500,000 per county to implement something that will do absolutely nothing but help the democrats in charge in Salem pass laws that will only help the agendas of out of state special interest groups. It's time that you follow your oath and do the right thing for the voters in Oregon and not pass this terrible bill. Thank you.