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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3075

As a Democrat and socialist resident of Oregon for now 38 years, I oppose HB 3075 for its overreach on restrictions on firearms ownership. Providing more power to police and law enforcement on who is able to own firearms in Oregon will continue negative impact to marginalized and threatened communities. Communities, such as the LGBTQIA+ and minorities, that are victimized at a higher rate than others as well as discriminated against by law enforcement at higher rates should not have their rights decided on by the same people who have biases against them.

Furthermore, HB3075, as an extension to Measure 114, contains no content or action to address the root causes of gun violence, does not provide a simpler path towards legal gun ownership, and only extends barriers to lawful gun ownership and self defense.

I strongly oppose HB 3075 and do not approve of its passing through the legislature.