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I oppose this bill on two counts. First, the infringement of the second amendment of the U.S. Constitution. And equally important and crystal clear this is a violation of Article 1, Section 20 of the OREGON Constitution which clearly states: "No law shall be passed granting any citizen or class of citizens privileges, or immunities, which upon the same terms, shall not equally belong to all citizens". I don't know which is more troubling, our lawmakers did not know this, or they did yet are choosing to ignore it. Furthermore, the whole idea of the 2nd amendment is to give the people access to as equal as possible the firepower of the government, its a system of checks and balances. We should realize now, in today's political climate, how important that is.