

The proposed bill is yet another legislatively "well intentioned" piece of legislation, however again the bill has several unintended consequences that require a NO vote.

This bill yet again focuses on legal firearms owner, that are currently responsible for the safe securing of their firearms. Why is there no legislation focusing on the criminals that illegally use firearms?

Logistically this bill fails on many levels, however the most apparent is the requirement of reporting stolen firearms within a certain time period to law enforcement. If a legal firearms owner is not aware of a criminal theft of their firearms (i.e. on vacation, in hospital, etc), then timely reporting is impossible.

Vote No on this and other proposed restrictions on legal firearms owners. Focus your time in developing legislation on the enforcement of existing laws that address violence including gun violence, such as the crime spike in Portland where rioting and associated violence was allowed to occur for over 100 days during 2020.