

Requested by Representative WILDE

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
HOUSE BILL 4073**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete “14.210, 14.250, 14.260 and”.

2 On page 2, delete lines 23 through 45 and delete pages 3 and 4 and insert:

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4 **“JUSTIFIED USE OF PHYSICAL FORCE**

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6 **“SECTION 2. Section 3 of this 2022 Act is added to and made a part**  
7 **of ORS 161.195 to 161.275.**

8 **“SECTION 3. Notwithstanding ORS 161.190, the justifiable use of**  
9 **physical force in self-defense or in defending a third person under ORS**  
10 **161.205 (5) is an affirmative defense when the defendant engaged in,**  
11 **directed or otherwise participated in wrongful conduct that was in-**  
12 **tended to cause the victim to be unavailable as a witness, and did**  
13 **cause the victim to be unavailable.**

14 **“SECTION 4. Section 3 of this 2022 Act applies to conduct alleged**  
15 **to constitute an offense occurring on or after the effective date of this**  
16 **2022 Act.**

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18 **“CAPTIONS**

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20 **“SECTION 5. The unit captions used in this 2022 Act are provided**  
21 **only for the convenience of the reader and do not become part of the**

1 **statutory law of this state or express any legislative intent in the**  
2 **enactment of this 2022 Act.”.**

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