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It is my opinion that "undetectable" firearm is a misnomer. If it is a functional firearm, it is detectable. The fact that it may have been assembled by an individual owner rather than by a company and then sold ought not make a significant difference. It is already illegal to sell these types of firearms, and these types of firearms are not a significant contributor to violent crime. This is feel-good legislation that will not have any noticeable impact on the rate of violent crime in Oregon. It is my opinion, as a citizen, that the legislature would be better served spending its time working on legislation that will fix a broken criminal justice system with insufficient police officers, prosecutors, and defense attorneys, rather than wasting their time trying to solve a problem that doesn't actually exist.