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On Behalf Of: All reasonable Oregonians
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3075

To the House Committee On Judiciary,

I am writing you to urge you not to move forward with HB 3075.

This bill raises the prices of applying for the firearms permit, the additional background check and the renewal of the permit. These have not even been implemented yet but are being raised by 140% or more? This concerns me as it will be most detrimental to already marginalized communities in Oregon like lower-income communities.

I am still concerned with Police Officers having the final say on who can own firearms in Oregon. I am also still concerned that citizens can be disqualified for any reason the Police see fit. Changing the maximum time before a response is issued from 30 days to 60 days is also unreasonable and was clearly only added to make the process more difficult and take longer to discourage citizens from applying.

I am concerned with the legality of requiring any challenges of this bill to be in Marion County courts only. From what I've gathered so far, this hasn't been done in Oregon before and the legality will need to be reviewed. This is not fair to any Oregonian that lives outside Marion County and any reasonable Oregonian would be against the addition of this language. It seems like this was added to "rig the deck" and make sure the bill stays in a County with Judges that are already known to rule in favor of previous anti-2nd Amendment bills.

Making it a crime to have purchased or imported magazines with a capacity over 10 rounds after December 8th, 2022 is illegal in Oregon. Purchasing or importing a magazine with a capacity over 10 rounds is currently legal in Oregon and has never been illegal at any point in time. This violates Article 1.21 of the Oregon Bill of Rights as an Ex-post Facto law.

Thank you for taking the time to read my testimony. Please do what is right for all Oregonians and refrain from giving credence to bills that violate Oregon's Constitution in multiple ways.