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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3076

Chair Kropf, Vice Chairs Chotzen and Wallan, and Judiciary Committee:

I am writing today to support the gun dealer licensing protocols set up in HB 3076. In states with strong gun dealer licensing programs gun trafficking is 64% lower. It is also associated with a 36% drop in gun homicides. Oregon needs to step into the breach left by the lack of ATF enforcement. We know this will only get more lax under the current administration. Nail salons, taco trucks, tattoo parlors, all are under stricter regulations than gun dealers. This cannot continue. The legislature needs to take action this legislative session to implement this strong bill and start to reign in these bad actor gun dealers.

Thank you for taking this testimony. Eleni Kondilis