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HB 3075 is a unilateral attempt to overturn a judges discovery that measure 114 is unconstitutional. Measure 114 passed by a hair of 0.7% which barely crossed the finish line likely due to a slight edge that people in Bend emotionally provided after a shooting at the East side Safeway curiously just a few months prior to this vote. The United States Constitution is clear, citizens have "the right to keep and bear arms,...which shall not be infringed". This is nothing more than an attack of our 2nd Amendment RIGHTS and an "infringement". The only people this bill effects is the 99.99% of law abiding citizens as criminals by definition do not follow the law. The bill requires a class you cannot get, to ask for a permit that will cost a lot of money and take months to receive even if you could get the class, and just gives you the opportunity to start the entire process over again when you get to the gun store. It also nearly triples all law abiding concealed carry permit holders renewal fees and for what? A criminal, would be shooter is not going to take the class at all, but if they did, will not change their criminal mindset. The class will do nothing to deter shooters and most responsible gun owners take firearms classes to learn, be safe and proficient as it is. Concealed carry license holders already must take a class. HB3075 will make law abiding citizens criminals for possessing magazines that hold greater than 10 rounds unless they can prove they bought them before a specific date (no one can do this) and makes it illegal to leave your own home and practice using them. This case should be heard by the Supreme Court of both Oregon and the United States where it would undoubtedly fail.