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House Bill 3076 poses a potential threat to the rights of the people as protected under the Second Amendment of the U.S. Constitution and the Oregon Bill of Rights. The Second Amendment guarantees the right to keep and bear arms, and any move toward a state gun dealer licensing program will lead to increased restrictions on access to firearms. This study, while seemingly harmless, will result in policies that create unnecessary barriers for law-abiding citizens to exercise their constitutional rights. In Oregon, Article I, Section 27 of the state constitution explicitly protects the right of individuals to bear arms for self-defense. By opening the door to more regulations, this bill risks infringing on these rights and limits the ability of citizens to purchase firearms freely and responsibly. Such measures will disproportionately affect individuals in rural areas or those with limited resources, further eroding their ability to protect themselves and their families.

If this bill passes, will you order a full security detail to stand guard for me and my familys' protection at all times?