Opposition Testimony to Oregon HB3076

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To the Members of the Oregon Legislative Assembly,

My name is Jane Clemo, and I'm a mother and a home-based Federal Firearms Licensee (FFL) fighting to keep my family afloat in Gaston, Oregon. I'm here to unleash my full-blown rage against HB3076—a bill that's a heartless, brutal attack on my business, my rights, and the future I'm clawing to build for my young children. This isn't just some policy debate; it's a personal assault on a mom who's doing everything she can to protect and provide for her little ones, and I'm damn well not going to let it slide.

I run a small, ATF-compliant firearms business out of my home in Gaston—dotting every "i," crossing every "t," and jumping through every hoop the feds throw at me. I'm not some corporate bigwig; I'm a mom with kids who need me to keep the lights on and food in their bellies. My husband and I are raising our young family here, scraping by in a small town where every penny matters. This FFL gig? It's not just a job—it's our passion! But HB3076 is a dagger aimed straight at us. With its suffocating rules—higher costs, zoning traps, or more bureaucratic nightmares—it's set to strangle my business and leave me helpless to support my kids.

I'm up at night, exhausted, worrying about inventory and compliance, all so my children can have a stable home in Gaston. I'm their mom—I'd walk through fire for them—but you're making it impossible with this garbage bill. For what? To appease some gun-hating fanatics who don't care that a mother's world could come crashing down? This isn't about safety; it's about control. It's about you people in Salem stomping on a hardworking mom until I'm forced to shut down, leaving my family to pick up the pieces while my kids ask why Mommy can't fix it.

I've had it with this state tearing apart families like mine just trying to survive. HB3076 is a disgrace—a vicious slap to a mother pouring her soul into raising her kids and running a lawful business. I demand you kill this bill dead right now. Rip it up, burn it, and toss it out before it destroys my livelihood and shatters my children's future. Anything less is a spineless betrayal of every Oregon mom fighting for her family.

Sincerely, Jane Clemo Home-Based FFL and Mother Gaston, Oregon