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To: House Committee on Judiciary

From: Kerry Spurgin, President, Oregon State Shooting Association (OSSA).

Subject: Opposition to HB3076



I am writing to you today with additional detail in my Opposition of HB3076. HB3076 is a direct attempt to deter and eliminate local businesses with redundant, overreaching, and excessive regulation and costs.

Today the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (BATF) provides nationwide oversight and regulation of Federal Firearms Licensees. This includes all aspects of licensee requirements and restrictions including background checks for the FFL, storage requirements, record keeping, auditing, accountability and more.

Ask ANY FFL - obtaining and maintaining a FFL is highly regulated and controlled today.

HB3076 starts out as a gross replication of BATF policies and procedures only to be repeated with another agency. Then it goes above and beyond requiring costly business requirements, processes and configurations that are essentially TAX and REGULATE businesses - OUT OF BUSINESS.

I have reviewed the impacts of HB3076 with two prominent and respected Oregon firearms dealers who have been in business for 40 and 53 years. Their research indicates the surveillance equipment required by HB3076 would be near \$100,000. In addition, the added display cases, locking systems, and external security requirements would exceed another \$50,000. These costs are not possible to sustain and would force business closure.

This is a direct attack to remove life, liberty and property for Oregon businesses already regulated.

Stop HB3076!

Thank you.

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