Testimony in Opposition to Proposed Amendments to House Bill SB 243

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As a fellow resident of Oregon, I urge you to please OPPOSE the proposed amendments to SB 243 on your committee.

SB 243 clearly a Constitutional violation of the second amendment and is biased against adults ranging from 18 - 21 years of age. What amendment do you plan to attack next, perhaps the  $26^{th}$  since you clearly aren't treating adults as adults with this bill...

Section 9 (3) is vague by design and would create a patchwork of permissible and prohibited places for licensed concealed carriers, a law-abiding group of individuals, who have already been vetted by law enforcement, to legally exercise a constitutional right.

The Senate should instead seek solutions to hold criminals accountable for their illegal actions.

Again, I urge you to OPPOSE the proposed amendments to SB 243.

Thank you for all that you do for our state.

With respect,

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