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Senate Committee on Judiciary
Senate Bill 429

Dear Chair Senator Prozanski, Vice-Chair Senator Thatcher and members of the Committee:

Okay, if this bill doesn't technically qualify as infringement on our 2nd Amendment right, it certainly qualifies as harassment.

Specifically how does SB 429 provide more safety for Oregonians? Well, it doesn't. But it sounds good to the do-gooders and that's usually all it takes. Making it more difficult for law-abiding citizens to purchase firearms must be good. Right?

It seems in our legislature all it takes is something that sounds good to pass muster. Whether it actually accomplishes anything is beside the point. Good intentions carry the day around here. Where or where is this sort of thinking leading us?

It is more important to stop bad legislation than pass good legislation and SB 429 is bad legislation.

Thank you,
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