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SB243

I strongly oppose SB243. It creates unnecessary restrictions on concealed carry holders and turns them into criminals for simply wanting to carry a firearm to protect themselves and others. Raising the age limit for semi auto firearms is a restriction on second amendment rights. The government will provide one to anyone over 18 joining the military, but are saying they don't trust them with them otherwise. You all are not helping with the root issues of mental health and criminals access to firearms. You are only punishing law abiding citizens that have done nothing wrong. We have a right to bear arms, all arms. This will cause undo financial burdens on the already strapped budget that the state can't manage anyways. You are all wasting tax payers time and money on unnecessary regulations that won't help crime and mental health. Throw this bill in that garbage and come back with something that holds actual criminals liable and fixes oregons mental health and drug crisis!