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Committee:	House Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	SB243

I strongly oppose SB243 because I see it as a violation and an infringement upon my 2nd Amendment Rights. This bill must not stand because it is a threat to everyday Oregonians who simply want to defend and protect their families wherever/whenever necessary. Something that is your duty to uphold, protect and defend. I strongly urge you to discard this bill because I do not think anything good will come from it. It seems to me that it would put more citizens in harms way, than anything else because criminals who may threaten everyday citizens, by their very nature do not care about following the laws. We cannot cede the high ground to those who would harm us or our families. Any infringement upon our 2nd amendment must be defeated because once any ground is ceded in this way, would ultimately lead to abuse of the masses just as it has in every civilization that has ever relinquished their rights to bear arms. I for one do not want to see my beautiful State turn into one such hell-hole. So, please, vote to dispatch this bill to the scrap-heap of history and kill this bill. Thank you.

D. Eddie Duran