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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB238

Please do not move SB 238A forward. Let it die in committee.

At this moment in our history, with a federal government intent on silencing dissent, and deporting immigrants (and sometimes citizens) without due process, the last thing Oregonians need or want is more surveillance without search warrants. We have a right to privacy guaranteed by the Fourth Amendment to the United States Constitution. It is supposed to protect individuals from unreasonable searches and seizures by the government. It ensures that no warrants shall issue except upon probable cause, supported by oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

SB 238A runs counter to this constitutional protection. Please uphold our constitutional rights - don't move this bill forward.