# **Guns:** New bill infringes on Second Amendment

Continued from Page 1A Background checks are already done when a firearms purchase is made online, also, Jobe said.

"That gun (bought online) has to be transferred to a firearms dealer," he said. "Then you have to do a background check before you can get said gun."

Putting the burden of background checks in local gun shops would be significant, Jobe noted.

"It puts a lot more paperwork on our end," he said. "If a lot of people are doing it (selling guns), which they do, we would ... end up doing a lot more work."

A background check from Oregon State Police would cost \$10, said Lt. Josh Brooks, public information officer for OSP. But because SB 941 is not

designed to require an indi-

vidual to pay OSP directly, any sale must go through a dealer. The increased workload would likely result in higher

Plenty of gun laws are already on the books to cover

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financially for some time,"

Milburn said. "It (the budget

proposal) is not going to

cause any major differ-

Democratic leaders have

admitted on a number of oc-

casions the funding isn't

enough, but say the figure offers most school districts

enough to maintain pro-

grams and to pay for full-day

"With today's vote we set the floor for funding — not the maximum amount of funding that our schools can

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Sen. Ron Monroe, the co-

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"We've been pretty solid

costs to consumers, Jobe

anyone with a violent past, said Micky Garus, owner of American Outdoors in Dal-

"It's already illegal for them to purchase and possess firearms," he said. "This new law that they're wanting to do, everybody should have to pass a background check for a firearm. It sounds good on the face, but the reality is criminals are already circumventing the sys-

Garus said SB 941 and other gun-related bills in the Legislature are examples of trying to "legislate crime."

"It really does nothing but infringe on the liberties of the private citizen," he said. If passed, the law would do a couple of things to

complicate gun ownership,

Garus said "The system Oregon State Police uses cannot even handle what our shops are doing," he said. "It causes a backup. I had two guns that I got an (approved background check) on. The customers had waited two months to pick up those

Jobe agreed.

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"It puts a lot of stress on the background system," he

Another consequence of SB 941 is gun registration, Garus said

"The only effective way to regulate this is registration," he said. "They have no clue who has what right now. They won't come out and say, 'we want gun registration,' ... but if the bill passes, they can say under an administrative rule that the only way we can enforce this law is to have these guns registered.'

Garus, Jobe and Wolfe agree the situation is frustrating

"Common sense is not being put forth in this approach, it's just not," Wolfe

To see Wolfe's letter to the Senate Committee on Judiciary and other submissions in support of and against the bill, olis.leg.state.or.us /liz/2015R1/Downloads/ CommitteeMeeting Document/58380.

To hear Garus speaking at a hearing: oregon.granicus. com/MediaPlayer.php?clip\_i

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spend that," Engle said.

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· Andrew Michael Hinton, born Feb. 9, 1996, 5-9, 138 pounds; brown hair, brown eyes. Charges: ton, born July 1, 1990, 5-10, Unauthorized use of a vehi-

• Trudy Rose Hernandez, born Oct. 26, 1973, 5-3, 180 pounds, brown hair, blue eyes. Charges: Possession of methamphetamine, Forgery I, Theft I, Identity Theft.

• Jordan Nicole Moore, born Sept. 7, 1993, 5-3, 111 pounds, brown hair, brown eyes. Charges: Possession of methamphetamine, Failure to appear I.

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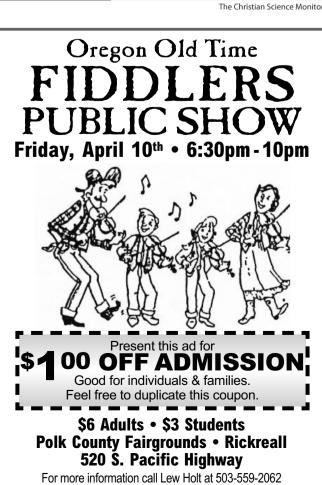
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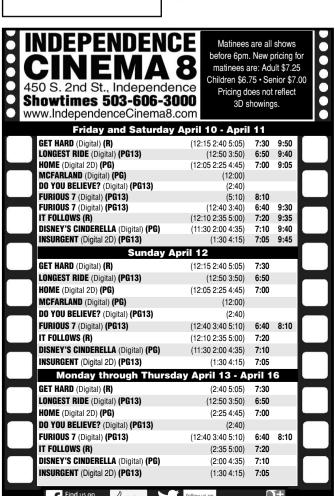
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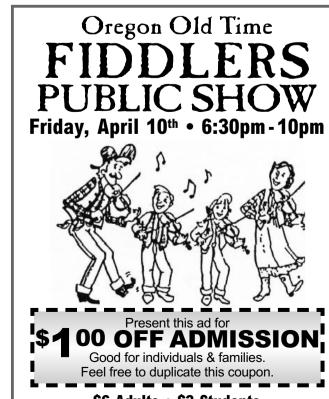
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