

Vote Explanation SB 340:

Theft in Oregon is already illegal. The majority party has done such a poor job of controlling Oregon's out of control crime that they think they can fix the problem they created by passing another law. It is not enough to have theft be illegal, they want to make a certain kind of theft, more illegal.

This is ludicrous, have we heard the children's song about swallowing the spider to catch the fly, swallowing the bird to catch the spider...

More laws will not fix the problem, and these thieves will not be deterred because the type of theft they are engaging in is now more illegal.