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The Honorable Drew Darby
Chairman

Texas House Committee on Mass Violence Prevention & Community Safety
Texas House of Representatives

Sent Via Email

RE: Citizen Concerns and Comments Regarding Overzealous Regulations

Dear Chairman Darby:

The purpose of this letter is to make a few brief remarks concerning the gun study issue at hand.

I have lived long enough, and in other states, to have developed a fondness towards liberty, individual responsibility, and self reliance. I have owned firearms for most of my adult life, and am an NRA Life Member. I am licensed by Texas to carry a concealed firearm. I have no felony record.

It appears that there are a number of outspoken “gun-grabbers” who are members of this committee.

It is my hope that the majority of Committee members realize that the major cities in Texas have been “Sanctuary Cities” encouraging criminals yet calling for defunding our police, and now with the “revolving doors” at all the jails, coupled with the anarchists who are engaged in Burning, Looting and Mayhem, it is the law-abiding citizens who are subject to the gun control regulations while the criminals will continue to ignore the laws.

Further, with an abundance of activist judges who also are avowed “gun-grabbers,” the “Red Flag” laws have been abused in other states, and surely will be abused in Texas. There is also a failed Anglo politician with a Spanish alias in Texas who has promised to seize our Constitutionally-protected guns.

Gun and ammunition sales have been at record levels all year, reportedly driven by women and minorities who don’t want to be the next crime victim, and who know it is foolish to believe dialing 911 will protect them from violent and heinous criminals who should have been in jail; thus, this is not the time to adopt greater restrictions on individuals who must protect themselves and families in the face of chaos and anarchy.

The Leviathan government cannot protect every citizen from every calamity, nor should it try.

Sincerely,



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