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Honorable Representative Jennifer Williamson – Chairman Judiciary Committee  
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Subject: HB 2013 – NAY To proposed Amendments

Dear Honorable Representative Jennifer Williamson – Chairman Judiciary Committee

The amendments that have been added recently to HB 2013 conflict with the second amendment rights of the Constitution and object to the passage of this bill. It is difficult to understand how a state legislature believes that it has the authority to modify, change, re-write or void our nations Constitutional amendments. I feel that any legislation that alters our Constitutional rights is grossly out of order.

The gun violence reports from the CDC and FBI clearly point to decreased gun crime rates when citizens are armed. but this information is ignored when legislation is written against free exercise of our rights. How can we trust our state government when it appears to have its own agenda that is against law bidding citizens? No one should accept gun violence or gun crimes, but we should be assured that we will always have to ability to defend ourselves against crime.

Sincerely,

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