

Most gun owners believe in being safe & locking up firearms that are not on your person but this Bill is way too extreme. It only serves to punish gun owners & not gun thieves. Trigger locks & gun safes are a good deterrent but not all are break proof & thieves are experienced at breaking into things. Why should the gun owner be punished if a thief breaks a trigger lock while stealing the gun?

Also, I'm a married woman that lives in a very rural area. I'm alone most of the time as my husband works long hours, 6-7 days a week. Our local law enforcement sometimes has up to an hour & a half response time because of the large area they have to cover. If a burglar breaks into my house with the intent to also do harm, having immediate access to a firearm for protection is crucial here! I'm not going to say "hold on Mr burglar, I have to go unlock my safe & load my gun".

Despite what liberal lawmakers may think of gun owners, we are NOT stupid nor are we seeking with glee to shoot anyone. We do believe in safety & keeping kids safe. I know accidents happen & those who are found to be willfully negligent should be held accountable. But do not blanket ALL gun owners with a restrictive law that is not necessary nor acceptable for every situation.

Vote NO on HB 4005

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