

Please consider:

The top priority of government is to protect it's people — all of them, for All Lives Matter.

One way to do so is to allow approved individuals to buy a firearm.

This bill restricts that goal maybe forever.

It the problem is the OSP staffing, then get more staff! See paragraph one.

Let's give examples. A nurse returning home from a 12 hour hospital shift which ended at 11pm cannot get a firearm for protection.

A Dad who cannot protect, even with locks and alarms, at 2 a.m. because he cannot get a firearm. He lives in a sketchy neighborhood. Many non-white people do, but All Lives Matter.

A daughter attempting to care for her Dad (who lives in a not so savory residential area), but who has lived their nearly all his life, get a firearm. I am married to that daughter.

Not get one, maybe not get one, could've gotten one, but it is too late.

The law now is balanced for safety AND buying a firearm. It has worked well.

Let's keep the existing law. Vote NO on HB 2543.

It could be your nurse, your house or your daughter — or you!

Thanks for reading and considering,

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