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The reason that the age of owning guns was placed at 18 is because that is the age that people are allowed to join the military, and they are legally adults. However, it seems that our legislators have their age limit issues upside down. This bill wants to remove the Right to Bear Arms from legal adults, while HB 2002 wants to allow 15-year-olds to decide to permanently alter their bodies without the consent or knowledge of their legal protectors, their parents. Being a legal adult is supposed to actually mean something. Legal adults should be able to protect themselves with fire arms if they so choose. Children should not have such rights, but should be able to rely on adults to protect them, from criminals and from their immature selves. These are very basic and obvious concepts, but the people writing these bills are sadly very confused. Please oppose HB 2006.