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I am writing to express my strong opposition to any new laws that would restrict the rights of law-abiding citizens under the age of 21. If 18-year-olds are allowed to join the military and vote they should be able to have a firearm. I believe that such laws are unnecessary, unjust, and ultimately harmful to our society.

The government's primary responsibility is to protect the rights and freedoms of its citizens, not to infringe upon them. Any laws that restrict our ability to exercise our rights, whether it be freedom of speech, religion, or the right to bear arms, are a direct violation of our constitutional liberties.

Furthermore, such laws are often ineffective at preventing crime and instead create a false sense of security. Criminals, by definition, do not follow laws, and restricting the rights of law-abiding citizens only serves to make them more vulnerable to criminals who will obtain weapons illegally or find other ways to perpetrate violence.

Rather than creating new laws that restrict our rights, we should focus on enforcing the laws that are already in place and ensuring that our law enforcement agencies have the resources they need to do their jobs effectively.

I urge you to oppose any new laws that restrict the rights of law-abiding citizens. We must work to protect and defend our constitutional liberties, not infringe upon them.