

Submitter: Madison Bishop
On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary
Measure: HB2005

I oppose this measure on the grounds that it is unconstitutional and violates centuries of precedent, as there have not been historical bans on the production of firearms by individuals for personal use in the history of this state. This measure punishes hobbyists and innovators to the same extent as the ATF would someone in possession of an unregistered machine gun.

No 3D printed firearm is undetectable — by virtue of being firearms, they still require pressure-bearing metal parts, pins, screws, springs, bullets and casings. 3D printing is merely a more accessible hobbyist equivalent to a major firearms manufacturer's use of injection molded plastic. It's not the flagrantly impossible Hollywood magic "Glock 7" from Die Hard 2, it's just plastic.