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As a mother of two young girls, I believe unapologetically in my right to defend them. This law would create a fee that would make it virtually impossible for me to do that. Because the weapon that I purchased in order to protect my family would not be able to be modified into compliance. I do not have the financial flexibility to pay all of the fees required to comply, I work a 40+ hour job Monday through Friday and do not have the ability to take time off to go to classes and qualify for the new permitting process. I am qualified through work to use a firearm, I'm trained in firearm safety and I am a law abiding citizen who carries on a daily basis. I have never been accused of being unsafe or not trained to a level that is sufficient for this action. If those of us who have gone through this training must go back through new training that has fees attached, then on its face, this bill looks more like a tax on law abiding citizens and does nothing to make us safer.