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As a whole I chose not to get involved in things. However when the rights of law abiding citizens and personal safety are at risk it becomes necessary. Stripping people of their rights is no way to control crime, and also does absolutely nothing to prevent any real danger. As the law abiding person is no danger to anyone and the only real safety in any situation. Law informant is 10 minutes away and a wonderful after the fact solution to any given circumstance , however those involved or bystanders involved will be left helpless or severely handicapped until the arrival of law enforcement should this bill be put into effect.

I do not offer a solution to the problem of violence in our society. But life and the world have changed in the last 30 years, where education is lacking or just not taught. Not just in schools but from parents and just life in general. Firearm safety and the responsibility and respect that should be taught from a very young age just is not done anymore. It used to be no big deal at all to see a person with a firearm walking or going somewhere and now days it is panic.

Personally I wear a sidearm the same as I wear pants or carry a cell phone & wear shoes on my feet. I do not live in fear and choose to be able to handle anything that comes. Making a person such as myself the criminal and forcing a law abiding citizen with no interest in being involved in anything and stripping of rights is the real crime.

It is my God given right to live as I live, to protect my family and our way of life.
This can not be

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