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Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB243

I strongly oppose SB243. This bill outlaws parts of a firearm that have already been deemed by federal courts, and the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco and Firearms to be consistent with the definition of a semi-automatic firearm. Forced Reset triggers, bump stocks, and Super Safety devices have been declared legal by the United States federal government.

These devices and the firearms they are installed into fall under the legal definition of "a single function of the trigger". For every projectile expelled from the firearm, the trigger is pulled, and reset, and then pulled again. These are not fully automatic conversion devices.

Furthermore, these devices are not necessary to fire a weapon at a high rate of fire. Many firearms are capable of being "bump fired" without the use of any such device outlined in this bill. What they do is allow a much more controllable way to accomplish this, arguably making the use of these devices safer than the bump firing method.

I firmly believe that a ban on these devices is an infringement upon our inalienable Second Amendment rights.

Thank you for your time.