

House Judiciary Committee,

I respectfully ask that you Vote "AGAINST S.141". S.141 is a solution in search of a problem.

With the Legislature struggling to cover the \$100 million dollar deficit where is the funding coming from to take over the BATF & FBI job (manpower: investigating, prosecuting and then housing & rehabilitation)? The Senate didn't take up this issue before passing it over to the House Judiciary Committee so apparently it has yet to be worked out?

The force behind the introduction of new gun laws into the safest state in the nation is the outside influence and money of Michael Bloomberg through the groups Everytown, Moms Demand Action, and Gunsense. Their statistics have been proven false time and time again and their tactics have been proven dishonest and on the verge of being against the law (pending legal action from a local firearm dealer as they falsely accused his internet ads of being a private seller who was making sales to prohibited persons.) His influence has reached our state through the astroturf group Gun Sense Vt.

The credibility and testimony of Gun Sense Vermont's president Ann Braden should certainly be scrutinized/researched. With the vague responses to your questioning her on April 8th as to source of funding for her grass-root organization and relationship with Michael Bloomberg's organization beyond Vermont.

Sincerely yours,
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