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Senator Ayer, Lyons, Pollina, McCormack, Collamore (members of the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare)

I strongly opposed the anti-firearms S.31 bill currently in committee. I respectfully ask that you vote against ALL 3 sections of the bill. My view is that we currently have all of the necessary controls in place to manage firearm purchases in Vermont with these very controls in alignment with the Vermont State Constitution. I consider S.31 to be in violation the Vermont State Constitution. Essentially, a bill being thrust on Vermont citizens from outside groups and a bill that will begin further erode of our rights in the State of Vermont. My family and I are tax paying citizens, financially support candidates who support our views and we vote. We are watching this bill very carefully. Thank you.

Respectfully,

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