Vermont Federation of Sportsman's Club Testimony on S.3 – Thursday 4/6/2023 – 9AM Chris Bradley – President & Executive Director, VTFSC

For the record, my name is Chris Bradley and I am the President and Executive Director of the Vermont Federation of Sportsman's Clubs (VTFSC).

The primary legislative areas of interest for the Federation is the protection of Article 16 / Second Amendment Rights, in addition to our interests in protecting Fish & Wildlife and our outdoor sporting rights.

When the VTFSC testified before Senate Judiciary on S.3, we made the statement that the Federation finds it difficult to see how this bill adversely effects the Second Amendment, with that quote being repeated by the Sponsor on the Senate floor.

We stand by that statement. While we find this bill objectionable due to it apparent intrusion on other Rights such as the Right of Free Speech and the Right to Peacefully Assemble; because these infringements fall outside our areas of interest and expertise, we respectfully decline to weigh in more directly on this bill.

Regards, Chris Bradley President & Executive Director, VTFSC