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**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Subject:** Opposition to Bills H5436, H5443, H5651, H5652, H5654, H5889, H5890, and H5891

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Dear Judiciary Members, I am a Rhode Island resident, and I would like my opposition to the following bills to be recorded: H5436, H5443, H5651, H5652, H5654, H5889, H5890, and H5891.

3/24/25

Judiciary Chairman Robert Craver,

This message regards the bills mentioned above. These are anti-gun owner bills which will negatively affect firearm owners who legally obtained a firearm, not to mention what it will do to our local firearms dealers whose businesses would be dramatically and negatively affected. I am very strongly opposed to bill H-5436 which goes against all common sense. We are your constituents and are law abiding citizens who will be harmed by your bill H-5436. ***Criminals will not be affected at all by this*** as they do not abide by firearm laws to begin with. Guns used in crimes committed by these individuals are not purchased legally to begin with and these criminals do not care about the laws. ***Your bill will only hurt honest law abiding citizens like me, period!***

The term "assault weapons ban" used to describe the bill is very misleading. Your bill affects me personally as an owner of numerous firearms including semi-automatic pistols which are covered under the bill.

***H-5436 is NOT the way to address gun crime!***

Shift your honest and sincere efforts to prosecuting gun crime perpetrators with stronger anti-crime bills including very stiff penalties and jail time.

Please remove this bill from your efforts to fight crime.  
Thank you for your consideration on this terrible bill.  
Sincerely,

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