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Good afternoon,

This bill, as written, effectively prohibits the legal ownership of firearms, in the state of Rhode Island.

This bill includes no language that would increase enforcement or levy penalties on the actual perpetrators of gun crimes in this state, of which, has and always will be those who flagrantly violate all gun laws written and unwritten. Again, this bill will only criminalize those who are already adhering to state and federal law, and will have little to no impact on actual criminals. Perhaps, the sponsors of this bill should spend time in the halls of justice that frequently offer plea deals and bargains that ensure criminals stay on the streets.

Respectfully,

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