

To Members of the Children's Committee

Re: Committee Bill 328 An act concerning minors and violent point-and- shoot video games

On behalf of myself and the bowling centers in the Connecticut Bowling Proprietors Association, we would like to oppose SB 328. This bill is designed to regulate the demographic that plays point and shoot video games. The bill will put an age limit on the point and shoot video games (18+). This will be very hard to verify at the bowling centers, and video games make up a decent and important part of our revenue. Some of these games have become very trendy in our bowling centers. Having this bill pass will require bowling centers to remove these games and replace them with other types of games, at an expense to the centers. Also, the potential fines that could come from this bill will give our bowling centers headaches. Please oppose this bill!

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