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I am writing in support of SB 103 – An Act Concerning Campus Safety and Security at Manchester Community College. Many residents of our town are students at MCC and I believe that this Bill would allow the police department at Manchester Community College provide for greater safety and security of the students that attend that facility.

In my opinion, it is important for the officers of the MCC police department to be armed in order to effectively respond to any critical incidents that may occur there. Recent events around the country involving violence at schools and educational facilities demonstrates the need for a quick, effective response by trained law enforcement professionals in order to quickly end an attack and save lives.

I believe that SB 103 would allow for the MCC Police Department to provide the appropriate level of safety and security necessary for that facility.

Thank you.

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