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I strongly oppose this bill. The legislature of CT cannot just remove due process for the second amendment. An accused deserves their day in court before their second amendment rights are taken away.

Anyone with any knowledge of nearly standard procedure in divorce law in CT knows that the attorney for the wife almost always files a restraining order, regardless of any proof or previous record of abuse, or who filed for the divorce. Without some form of police report to be filed in court to substantiate such a claim is not allowing for due process. My ex-wife, in the 1990s, used a restraining order to clean out my house with her boyfriend before leaving the state in under a week. This is common, and its bad enough this is allowed, yet alone not allowing the other party a day in court. We cannot be assumed to be guilty until we have a day in court, but this legislation, in fact, does just that.

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