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Subject: BILLS BEING HEARD

Oppose H.B. No. 5054 'AN ACT PROTECTING VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE'
To seize Firearms, Ammunition, and Permits on all ex parte restraining orders.

Neutral H.B. No. 5597 'AN ACT PROTECTING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS SEEKING
RESTRAINING ORDERS'

To protect domestic violence victims through use of the risk warrant process set forth in section 29-38c of the general statutes.

**CCDL acknowledges this bill is an improvement over HB5054. However, the underlying statute that THIS act would trigger (29-38c) itself does not provide for adequate due process.*

Oppose H.B. No. 5622 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE AVAILABILITY OF ERASED RECORDS IN
DETERMINING WHETHER A PERSON IS A SUITABLE PERSON TO CARRY A PISTOL OR
REVOLVER'

To allow chiefs of police, selectmen, wardens and the Board of Firearms Permit Examiners access to erased records for the purpose of determining a person's suitability to carry a pistol or revolver.

Oppose S.B. No. 429 'AN ACT CONCERNING SERVICE OF RESTRAINING ORDERS'

To provide an applicant for a restraining order with the option of selecting either a police officer or a proper officer to serve such order.

Oppose S.B. No. 442 'AN ACT CONCERNING A VICTIM'S RIGHT TO BE REASONABLY PROTECTED
FROM A PERSON ACCUSED OF COMMITTING A CRIME'

To afford greater protections to crime victims.

Oppose H.B. No. 5623 'AN ACT CONCERNING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND VICTIMS OF
HUMAN TRAFFICKING'

To increase protections for victims of domestic violence, human trafficking and sexual assault.

I oppose these changes due to that it would be able to infringe on due process. Thank you Mark A
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