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To members of the Public Safety and Security Committee of the CT Legislature:

Handguns that are carried openly in public are dangerous, intimidating and, in my opinion, completely unnecessary. Anyone who chooses to do so should be required to carry their permit on their person at all times. I strongly support House Bill 5408 which gives police the authority to require that the permit be presented when requested **for any reason**. Any individual who refuses to show the necessary legal permit when requested by police should be subject to fines and detained until the permit is obtained. The approval of this bill is critical in honoring the public's right to shop, live, and go about their business in a climate of relative safety and security.

Sincerely,

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