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To Whom It May Concern,

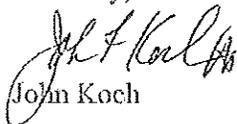
I write this not in opposition to HB No. 5597 AN ACT PROTECTING VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

This is just another attempt by this legislature to grab guns without due process of law. This bill allows for the taking of a person's natural right of protection without a hearing, without criminal charges, without a police report and without due process.

It is my understanding that CT already has a seizure of firearm provision for when a peace officer determines that a family violence crime has been committed under 46b-38b.

For these reasons I remain in opposition to this bill.

Sincerely,

  
John Koch