Dear Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose Senate Bill 16. This bill is wrong on so many levels.

More gun control has been the legislator's answer for the last thirty years. And now the Govenor's answer to address juvenile crime in this state is to go after legal gun? How does that make sense?

Connecticut firearm laws are already so convoluted. Legislation written by lawyers for lawyers, that needs a judge to interpret them. All designed to trap the legal gun owners of this state, that need to attempt to read and understand hundreds of pages of firearm laws.

Please ***oppose*** Senate Bill 16!

I addition, I also ***oppose*** House Bill 5416 - AN ACT CONCERNING BULK PURCHASES OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS.

I ***support*** Senate Bill 388 - AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFENSE OF A PERSON OR A PERSON'S DWELLING, PLACE OF WORK OR MOTOR VEHICLE.

I ***support*** House Bill 5415 - AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF ASSAULT WEAPONS AND LARGE CAPACITY MAGAZINES.

I ***support*** House Bill 5412 - AN ACT CONCERNING THE DUTY TO RETREAT IN A RELIGIOUS HOUSE OF WORSHIP.

Sincerely,

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