

Dear Legislator:

Gun owners, hunters, target shooters, collectors have no idea what may be contained in this bill affecting their legal activities and firearm ownership. Can you explain to me what is contained in the bill and how it will affect me personally?

Rumors abound, and many issues go well beyond anyone's perception this is only about so-called "Assault Weapons." We hear about severe ammunition purchase restrictions placed upon ALL gun owner's rifles, shotguns, and handguns. If passed, what would I have to do to purchase ammunition and WHY?

We hear ALL firearms must be registered at a cost including my Grandfather's rifles and shotguns. Why?

Magazines are an integral part of a firearm. What will be the standard number of rounds if any? Will they be banned entirely? Will the State reimburse me for my loss of value and protection? Will common rifles and shotguns be included?

Should this bill be about prosecuting criminals and at-risk persons being identified, not the gun issue which has little real relevance to the Newtown event?

Why is there no transparency as to what legislators convening in secret are considering?

Will YOU as a legislator and your constituents have sufficient time to evaluate the bill prior to debate?

**WE NEED A PUBLIC HEARING!** Why can't we allow those affected by this legislation to promote their views?

Tell me how you could vote on this "quick fix" legislation developed by some emotionally biased legislators without allowing a hearing from constituents to share their expertise and support/objections?

Help me understand why this bill will have no public hearing and is different from all other bills! Why Emergency Certification?

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Thank you,

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