Greetings Senators and Representatives,

I don't have any stories to tell about being unfairly denied or delayed during a background check. Fortunately, all of mine have been smooth sailing, but others have been wrongly denied or delayed by the current system. I am writing to simply voice opposition to the proposed legislation. I don't believe that private individuals should be forced to go to a dealer to complete a sale. It places undue burden on the individuals, and on the FFL. I believe that it is a solution in search of a problem. Consider that many who are rightfully denied now are not even prosecuted. Why is that? There is no fear of the law by criminals, especially when there are no consequences.

Please reconsider passing this measure. It is more feel-good legislation that will do nothing except place more burdens on the already law abiding. Thank you.

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