Thank you for taking the time to read my correspondence. As a retired law enforcement officer with the experience of understanding when laws are effective, I know that the provision of SB 941 are unfortunately not helpful and onerous upon the residents of the state. Criminals who use firearm unlawfully do not obtain firearms through methods requiring background checks. Sure, you can find the occasion case and parade this in front of media, but it is the exception. This law is a solution in search of a problem.

A better use of resources would be to focus on actual criminals, career criminals, who do harm to the public every day of the year. Not create more regulations on the citizens of the state who do not need additional regulations in their daily lives.

Please respect the rights of your citizens and focus on something that will actually help law enforcement officer do their jobs.

Best regards,

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