

I am writing to express my concern that there were many persons who attended the hearing on April 1, that could not be in room 50 to show their OPPOSITION to SB 941 before the committee. Four locations, that I know about, had at 80-100 persons, per location, who watched the hearing on video. The overwhelming majority were in opposition to the bill.

I specifically want to express my concern that that this bill will require law abiding citizens to travel to a gun sales shop and pay an unknown amount to have the shop do a background check on the recipient of a firearm. In rural areas, this could mean a substantial distance to travel. This bill includes transfers between family members who are known by the family to be qualified to legally own and possess firearms. Many times firearms are transferred to heirs through a will after the death of a family member. This complicates those transfers and causes undue stress on the grieving heirs at that time.

Another concern is that this process creates another registration list of lawful recipients of firearms to a government who is known to want to disarm the populace. I totally disagree with firearms registration by any means.

Please do not allow SB 941 to go further.

Sincerely,

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