## Mr. Rhoades,

I must register my opposition to SB941 as it is currently written. I do not oppose the background check of private sales to people outside of immediate family members but some provision must be made for "temporary" transfers of "possession" allowing the temporary use of firearms or the temporary custody of firearms among friends and neighbors. Above all it amazes me that all proponents of this type of legislation do not realize that the elephant in the room is REGISTRATION leading to CONFISCATION. If this bill limited the time that these records of sales and transfers remained available it would go a very long way to gaining the trust of citizen gun owners. If the legislation is meant to keep firearms out of the hands of criminals then that task is completed upon the background check and the record need no longer exist. Thank you for your time.

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