

I don't normally write letters or make phone calls to politicians in general because I don't think they are included in any exercise in futility that you all do. A perfect example is this piece of legislation. Can you really believe that this action is going to curtail illegal gun ownership or reduce crime??? Now I know that the best don't always get elected, but the electoral process today is controlled by "big business" and their lobbyists. Which camp do you fall into???

I digress, sorry this bill does nothing to stop an illegal person in any form from getting a weapon. It will not allow for the transfer of weapons within the family to preserve a family heirloom. This measure is a "feel good" for the Democrats, so they can say they "helped" and to get re-elected. You want to "feel good", give funding back to mental health for they can help people who need it. Does not sound as "good", but is a lot more effective in keeping guns out of the wrong hands.....Legal folks already have to go thru enough hoops to purchase weapons, this law is designed to rein in the commerce of weapons and to lead to registration and confiscation, this incidently is in violation to the Constitution and will be litigated to the supreme court. And intelligent people know this so why waste our tax dollars?,

Now I know a lot of you are getting ready for a re-election bid next year, believe me your vote on this matter will be noted and our rights exercised. There will be those that do not want to wait and they will be starting recall petitions and I will join their ranks.

I'm a retired Marine, an NRA instructor, (the NRA did not petition me for this matter), an avid shooter, getting too old for the hunting thing. I'm getting tired of the "politically correct" crowd trying to dictate to others how they should live their lives. If the politicians would support their oath of office and follow the Constition, they would be able to be much more efficient. I incidently, did not ask any policitians to legislate this bill. We as Americans will be watching and in 2016 will be voting. Thank you!!

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