

I cannot attend the hearing tomorrow. The bill, such as it is, is very misguided. The idea that curtailing liberty of law abiding people will prevent criminals from ignoring the law is well beyond reason.

For example, why reduce liberty of CHL holders? Are CHL holders committing crime at any meaningful rate? Studies have shown that CHL holders have a lower rate of offence than retired police officers.

So.. what gives with this bill? Thoughtful, it is not. Liberty is not easily recovered once it is destroyed, and every little bit matters.

-Kirk Brannock