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I feel as. Though this measure would not limit criminals in their access to firearms but only limit the access of law-abiding citizens to firearms. The problem with saying that a serialized firearm would prevent crime is that the only way a serialized firearm could be tracked down is if it was one purchased in the last seven years as information of the sale of the would be destroyed it and or if the firearm was reported stolen. this measure I feel only affects the average citizens ability to own a firearm. Another question to the Integrity of this bill is the fact it violates the second amendment by preventing a United States citizen from acquiring a firearm to protect themselves or others. I feel so this bill is rooted in more ignorance of crime and firearms rather than genuine protection for citizens of the United States of America. Also if criminals are already breaking the law, does making a law really affect them they still will be able to access stolen firearms and illegal parts violating this new law. So In conclusion I feel that this new law would not affect criminals but would only affect law abiding citizens from being able to exercise their fundamental rights as appointed by the Constitution. and I feel as representatives of the people of the United States you should be able to understand that this law would not work and that you were only violating fundamental rights of the people. -Jeremiah watkins 3/16/23