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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure: HB2006

I am writing to ask for your support for HB 2006. As a parent of four sons I can say with certainty (through both experience and empirical evidence) that young brains (especially males) are not fully developed before the age of 25. Therefore it is absurdly reckless to allow a weapon of war in the hands of a young person unequipped to fully understand the consequences. Hasty decisions often made by teens or young adults in a crisis of momentary emotional upheaval are the situations that need to be slowed down and controlled. Not only can these decisions end someone else's life (or in this case many lives) and consequently destroy many lives, but can also end their own or end any hope of ever having a life. This common sense measure is a must to protect from the irrational destruction of lives. Please help to ensure our communities' safety by supporting this bill. Thank you.