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In the description of HB 2005 it states the objective of outlawing "undetectable firearms". This statement is flawed. All firearms contains metal parts which are easily detectable by metal detectors. So what does it really wish to accomplish? According to the ATF website it has never been illegal to assemble and make your own firearm for personal use. There are plenty of people around the country that have built their own firearms, yet very few of these so called "ghost guns" are used to commit crimes. So this bill seeks to punish a federally legal act with up to 10 years in prison, and up to a year in prison for just possessing one. There are plenty of gun laws on the books now that are not being enforced. Why don't we start punishing criminally instead of going after law abiding citizens.

Thank you for your time.