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HB 2006 will do nothing to stem the increase in illegal gun violence and it will be found unconstitutional. Not only does this law greatly diminish the ability of young adults to pursue sporting activities, but it also infringes on fundamental rights of all citizens.

In May of 2022, a federal appeals court struck down a California law prohibiting sales of semiautomatic firearms to anyone under 21 years of age. The law, which had been in effect since July 1, 2021, also restricted purchases of semiautomatic weapons to one per month for all ages. Judge Ryan D. Nelson of the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals said in his opinion that the law infringed on the Second Amendment rights of those ages 18 to 21.

In June 2021, another federal judge ruled that California's 32-year-old assault weapons ban is unconstitutional.

This bill is more of the same, precedence has been set and this too will be found unconstitutional if passed into law.

The state's resources and citizens would be better served by enforcing the existing laws and mandate non negotiable jail time for the people committing violent crimes with firearms - especially felons found in possession of firearms!

I strongly oppose this bill