Dear Sir or Madam,

I urge you to oppose the following bills (listed in order of their currently scheduled hearings):

- SB646/HB636 (Public Safety Access to Firearms)
- SB816/HB1257 (Public Safety -Licensed Firearms Dealers)
- SB958/HB910 (Criminal Law Untraceable Firearms)
- HB1078 (Education No Funding for Firearms Act)
- HB591 (Public Safety Lost or Stolen Regulated Firearms Reporting)
- HB1104 (Public Safety Regulated Firearm Transfer)
- HB1501 (Public Safety Regulated Firearm Reporting Lost or Stolen)
- HB1261 (Public Safety Assault Long Guns and Copycat Weapons)

None of these bills, if they were to become laws, would improve public safety. Instead, already-law-abiding citizens, hunters, and licensed firearm dealers (like myself and many of my family and friends) would only be further burdened, while criminals would only continue to ignore the law.

To the extent you are able, through reasonable legislation, I respectfully request that you work to ensure that Maryland's existing (and already overly-restrictive, in my opinion) laws are enforced, rather than passing more laws, based on feelings - or worse, politics - that will not actually contribute to the good of the people of Maryland.

Thank you for your consideration,

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