

Ways and Means Committee
Maryland State House
6 Bladen Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

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Dear Chair Atterbeary and Committee Members,

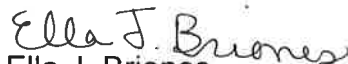
I am writing in opposition of House Bill 0387 and House Bill 0937, which would impose an excise tax on firearms, accessories, and ammunition.

Both bills are unconstitutional, as they are aimed at taxing the exercise of constitutional right.

Once again, an unfair financial burden is attempting to be placed on the backs of law abiding citizens. If passed, these bills will shutter small businesses that are already struggling.

As an almost 50 year resident of Cecil County, Maryland, I implore you to vote "no" on HB 0387 and HB 0937 and reject any other proposals that include an excise tax on a constitutional right.

Respectfully submitted,


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