

# **Senate Appropriations Committee**

## **HB 1164**

**By Dr. Gaylynn Becker**

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Chairman Klemin and Members of the House Judiciary Committee:

I am Gaylynn Becker of Bismarck, ND. I'm here to represent myself.  
I am here to testify in support of House Bill 1164.

I do not support following unconstitutional presidential executive orders that violate our Constitution. This includes the First Ten Amendments to the Constitution of the United States of America. The first 2 amendments are the most critical amendments that we have. If we lose the 2<sup>nd</sup> amendment, then we are ready to lose them all.

In doing my research years ago, I discovered that the second amendment was not primarily for hunting as is often said, but it was primarily for protecting ourselves and our neighbors as a first line of defense from criminal activity and for protecting and keeping our government in check as well.

I also recommend as soon this bill is passed by the state legislature and signed into law that it become effective immediately!

I ask that you pass HB 1164.

God bless you.