

To the Senate Judiciary Committee:

Want to sell that 12 gauge to your hunting buddy? Pelosi and Biden want to hit you with a felony charge unless you first run a background check, adding both of you to a growing federal database of gun owners.

HB 1272 seeks to protect us from just such federal infringement!

North Dakotan's right to bear arms, guaranteed to us in the 2nd Amendment, is under a greater attack by the political left and faux conservatives than it ever has been.

The Biden, Pelosi, and Schumer-controlled federal government are advancing H.R. 8, the "Universal Background Check" bill. It has passed the US House. A more honest name for this bill would be "Surveillance on Gun Owners."

North Dakotans who appreciate and understand that the words "*the right of the people to keep and bear Arms shall not be infringed,*" means that every rule from Washington regarding so-called gun control is an infringement.

States are fighting back, which is where HB 1272 comes in.

We North Dakotans understand that the federal government has the most strength (albeit questionable) when firearm-related commerce is conducted across state lines. We appreciate that our state legislature would stand up in this way for us, following the example set already set by other states that have implemented similar legislation.

We will be very happy to purchase firearms and ammunition made in North Dakota!

Please DO PASS HB 1272