

To those whom it may concern:

Here is my encouragement for you to reject SB719. This piece of legislation, on it's face, allows the preferences of one person to outweigh the rights of another. Can you only imagine how many selfish, angry, petulant, or impudent people will seek to wreck the rights of others with fabricated claims designed only to remove that person's rights with respect to gun ownership?

In my own family, there are a couple cousins my age who didn't like me as a child because I caused got mud on them or teased their cat, etc. For whatever reason, that sentiment has carried on into adulthood. One of them has told me that given a chance, they will turn me in as a bad person who should not be allowed to own a firearm. This outlook is childish, immature, and ridiculous. And yet...legislation like this could end up causing/allowing such unbelievable enforcement. What about ex-spouses who would love to hurt the other? The situations are endless. This is not Constitutional nor is it even logical.

While everyone understands some guns will end up in less than desirable hands, this bill will do nothing to change that. This is the wrong approach entirely. It is never alright to allow someone's wishes to outweigh the rights of another. There needs to be solid evidence before any form of confiscation, rejection of rights, etc are allowed to take place.
Bad legislation!! Please reject.

Taxpayer and voter,
~David Rieben