

Opposition Letter for H7754

(Eliminates out-of-state concealed carry permit recognition)

Wednesday April 8, 2026

House Judiciary Committee
Rhode Island State House
82 Smith Street Providence, RI 02903

Dear Chair and Members of the House Judiciary Committee:

As a law-abiding Rhode Island gun owner and proud Second Amendment supporter, I strongly oppose **H7754**.

This bill deletes the provision that allows out-of-state residents with valid concealed carry permits to obtain a Rhode Island permit. It strips law-abiding travelers and visitors of their ability to carry legally in our state. Criminals do not apply for permits or respect reciprocity — they carry illegally no matter what.

This measure only burdens responsible, permit-holding Americans exercising their constitutional rights. I ask you to vote **NO** on H7754.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Pyara Meyer