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**From:** BRIAN BALSOFIORE bbalsofiore@mail.com via RI Gun Rights  
<noreply@rigunrights.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 8, 2026 11:05 AM  
**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** bbalsofiore@mail.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7755, which would impose sweeping new restrictions on firearm purchases in Rhode Island.

The bill requires all firearm buyers to complete an 8-hour safety training course and pass a written test before purchasing any firearm, including rifles and shotguns. That certification would expire every 5 years, making this a perpetual, recurring burden rather than a one-time requirement. A gun owner who completed training in 2027 would need to retake the course and re-pass the test before buying another firearm in 2033.

The bill also removes the current 7-day automatic delivery window for handgun purchases. Under current law, a seller may proceed with a sale if police have not flagged the buyer within 7 days. H7755 eliminates that fallback and requires an affirmative police clearance before any sale can proceed, with no stated time limit. This gives police unlimited ability to delay a lawful purchase indefinitely.

These combined changes create layered, ongoing barriers to firearm ownership that burden only law-abiding citizens.

I urge you to vote against H7755.

Respectfully,

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**From:** Jason Allard bow-hunter94@hotmail.com via RI Gun Rights  
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**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** bow-hunter94@hotmail.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

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Jason Allard

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**From:** Paul Williams paul@sailingnewengland.com via RI Gun Rights  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, April 8, 2026 12:59 PM  
**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** paul@sailingnewengland.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

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**From:** Paul Koussa pkoussa@gmail.com via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 8, 2026 1:12 PM  
**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** pkoussa@gmail.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

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I urge you to vote against H7755.

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**From:** John Bushee coachbushee@gmail.com via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>  
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**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** coachbushee@gmail.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

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I urge you to vote against H7755.

Respectfully,

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**From:** Alexander Bonin alex.r.bonin@gmail.com via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>  
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**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** alex.r.bonin@gmail.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

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Respectfully,

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**Cc:** johnbushee@me.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

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## **Anabella Mayorga**

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**From:** Jonathan Card jcard493@gmail.com via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>  
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**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** jcard493@gmail.com  
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I urge you to vote against H7755.

Respectfully,

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**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Cc:** riclevett@gmail.com  
**Subject:** Oppose H7755

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7755, which would impose sweeping new restrictions on firearm purchases in Rhode Island.

The bills as it is proposed is a total overreach in regulations.

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There are far more crucial issues for the legislature to take up their time with that affect many more constituents.

I will follow these bills before the committee along with your voting record and consider these factors for your re-election, fund raising and possible promotions.

I urge you to vote against H7755.

Respectfully,

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