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House Committee on Judiciary
State of Rhode Island General Assembly

Testimony Opposing: *H-8071*

Dear Members of the House Committee on Judiciary,

Please don't pass this bill that would require someone to go through a background check to purchase ammunition. Currently purchasers are required to have the "blue card" so they have the knowledge to use the ammunition safely.

All a background check will accomplish is to increase the time it costs to make a purchase for both the purchaser and the merchant. For the merchant it will also increase their labor costs to complete the sale. It serves no purpose other than complicating a simple transaction.

Please vote against *H-8071*

Thank you for your time.

Yours truly,

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