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Dear Honorable Chair McEntee and House Judiciary Committee Members,

My name is Wesley Smith, I reside in Scituate within District 41, and this is my testimony regarding House Bill No. 8075.

I am opposed to this bill as it poses an undue financial burden on the constitutional right to possess a firearm. The need or perceived need for this type of insurance should be left to the individual who can best assess their needs and proceed accordingly. Many Homeowners and Renters insurance policies can currently address this need. Everyone is different, there is no "one size fits all" format that can be applied to every individual or situation. This should not be a State mandate. I respectfully ask that you reject this bill. Thank you for considering my testimony.