

Charles Mercer's testimony

I wish to express my thoughts on HB 425; this bill in my opinion, will only place even more restrictions on Law Abiding citizens, NOT

those who do not obey the law. Criminals.

It is a Proven fact that laws have no affect on criminals, rather they impose more and more restrictive, and Expensive burdens on we the law abiding.

The Constitution was written by brilliant academics who realized that laws will be obeyed ONLY by the law abiding.

Governor DeWine's "Red Flag" law will only impose more restrictions on WE, the law abiding citizens of Ohio, NOT the criminal element.

To IMPOSE this bill, HB-425, on the lawful citizens is an effort in vain, to curtail gun violence.

The ONLY citizens who will comply are the Law Abiding. It is beyond my comprehension why Governor DeWine and others who support this cannot understand this.

My less favorable thoughts are that if this law were to be in affect it will increase the COST to lawful folks who own guns. Thus enriching the coffers of the State. Or could this be the undermining purpose.? To gain millions of dollars from Ohio citizens.!

I urge you to vote down this bill.!