

Testimony on Senate Bill 317
Government Oversight and Reform Committee

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Chair Coley, Vice Chair Huffman, Ranking Member Craig, and members of the committee, thank you for allowing me to present this testimony in opposition to SB 317.

My name is Ginean Solomon. I'm a lifelong resident and voter of Ohio. My kids are grown up, but my daughter is a speech pathologist. I am strongly opposed to arming teachers. Teachers are there to teach, not to be armed guards of the kids.

There's too many guns in our society; we need less guns, not more. We should be spending our resources on adding security officers in the schools; locking down the schools and not allowing strangers into the buildings; and focusing on anti-bullying and mental health techniques with the kids.

I am strongly opposed to SB317.

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