

I am submitting this written testimony for the official record to Shane Wilkin and the committee. The individual right to keep and bear arms, being a fundamental individual right that predates the US Constitution and Ohio Constitution, and being a Constitutionally protected right in every part of Ohio, it is fit and proper for the General Assembly to offer this bill for law abiding citizens to protect themselves and their families and others from intruders and attackers without fear of prosecution or civil action for acting in defense of themselves and others. "The right of the people to bear and keep Arms shall not be infringed." This bill has long been needed and I applaud the General Assembly for taking up this cause!

Thank you,

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