## **OHIOANS FOR CONCEALED CARRY**

## Attachment to testimony of Gary Witt

## **OFCC's Requested Changes to HB 585**

Due Process: Respondent or respondent's representative to attend ALL hearings including initial ex parte hearings. Respondent or respondent's representative be allowed to testify in opposition to petitioner's claims at all hearings, including ex parte hearings.

Ref: Goldberg v. Kelly, 397 US 254 (1970).

Weapons under ORC 2923.14 Relief from weapons disability remain in the bill unchanged

Disability ORC 2923.13 wording to remain unchanged.

Felons ORC 2923.13 (A)(2) wording to remain unchanged

Purchase by others ORC 2923.20 wording to remain unchanged

"promptly return" ORC 3113.29 change "promptly" to a specified timeframe – 24 hours after notification by the court.

False statements ORC 3113.30 revise to reflect the severity of false statement(s)

Notification to law enforcement from the Court on termination of order or denial of ex parte order

None currently in the bill, Include wording in the bill for the Court to notify law enforcement

Notification to law enforcement from the Court of early termination of protection order including EPRO or ex parte EPARO or denial of EPRO

None currently in the bill. Include wording in the bill instructing law enforcement to remove the order and names from any computer-based system including the National Instant Criminal Background Check (NICS) system.