

FROM THE DESK OF

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Judicial Proceedings Committee
Annapolis, MD

Dear Members of the Committee,

I am writing to express my unfavorable position on Rifles and Shotguns - Possession - Age Requirement (Raise the Age Act of 2023). This bill is a direct attempt at both attacking a vulnerable population (those aged 18 to 21), but also an attack on the tradition and heritage of shooting passed down within families.

Stronger sentencing and mandatory sentences to those in violation of existing laws would be a better answer.

Sincerely yours,

Andrew J. Hobbs