

HCR 1 -- REPEAL OF FEDERAL FIREARMS PREEMPTION LAW

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This resolution urges the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States to pass federal legislation repealing the registry provisions of the federal law commonly known as the "Firearm Owners' Protection Act." This federal law prohibits state governments from keeping any database or registry of firearms in an electronic format. The resolution urges the right and propriety of the individual states to enact reasonable regulations involving firearms designed to maintain records of the unorganized militia, prevent firearm crime, and ensure the safety of individuals. The federal law in question does not restrict federal regulation of firearms and is not vital to protecting Second Amendment rights of either states or individuals. Therefore, it should be repealed to allow the individual states to regulate firearms in a reasonable manner given local concerns and issues.