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L. Henderson
87 Boston Hill Road
Cartersville, VA 23027
Cooksey, Roberta B.

From: L Henry [lymg3@netzero.com]
Sent: Friday, February 11, 2011 11:24 AM
To: Webmaster
Subject: Support for the Reporting of Multiple Sales of Long Guns

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L. Carr
4767 Panorama Dr
San Diego, CA 92116
Dear Ms. Terrill,

I respectfully request that proposed legislation regarding long gun sales in our lower border states be set aside. We can all agree that our country is not in a position to enact such legislation which would have no effect of how the criminal element would still accomplish their goals. It is not in the economic best interests of our nation to install more federal employees and a new and doubtless beaurocracy to enforce such laws at the taxpayers cost. It would be far better to unwaveringly enforce the laws we already have on the books. It would unfairly restrict hunters and other legal shooting enthusiasts the pursuit of their constitutional rights.

I am a retired minister and have also worked in the secular field of law enforcement many years ago. The criminal element will always find a way to circumvent the law, and such legislation could result in far more home burglaries and other crimes of violence against persons in my opinion.

Respectfully,

Rev. Lamar H. Kyle
Ms. Barbara A. Terrell
Firearms Industry Programs Branch
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

Re: The December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

I am in full agreement with Mr. C. W. Cox, Executive Director, NRA Institute for Legislative Action; the ATF has no legal authority to demand these reports, and the flood of new paperwork will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations.

Additionally, many law abiding, gun owning citizens of this great country, myself included, would like to know why your people would rather propose additional, costly, time consuming new paperwork requirements than to vigorously enforcing existing laws and statutes.

Thank you very much for taking the time to read this message.

L. O. Nowak
MSgt, USAF (Ret)
Private Citizen, US of A
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FRESNO, CA 93720
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6611 5th Street NW
Washington, DC 20012
Barbara A. Terrell
Firearms Industry Programs Branch
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives
99 New York Avenue, N.E.
Washington, DC 20226.

Re: OMB Number 1140–NEW

February 10, 2011

Ms. Terrell,

I am opposed to the BATFE proposal, dated December 17, 2010 published as 'Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles' published in the Federal Register [OMB Number 1140–NEW].

The BATFE does not have the authority to request such information. Requiring the collection of this information will only add to already excessive paperwork load on firearms dealers and, if implemented, waste already strained enforcement resources that can be spent much more efficiently elsewhere.

I trust that I will receive an acknowledgment that this email in opposition to the above referenced proposal has been received and properly considered and counted.

Ladislav Bashtarz
Harrington, DE
Dear Ms. Barbara Terrell,

Please accept this brief email as a formal request by an American Tax payer to deny the recent request by ATF (alcohol tobacco and firearms) to step beyond it's legal boundary, forcing small business in the South West United States, to meet new reporting requirements regarding "Long Rifle" purchases.

This is simply an illegal end-run "Camels nose in the tent" move by ATF to start down a slippery slope, and take more freedoms from the American People, while producing nothing, wasting resources and adding cost, for nothing but political gain.

I thank you for your time and ask for common since to rule the day.

Sincerely,

Dave Barron
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LAMMY WEISMAN
532 N.W. 41st.
Oklahoma City, OK 73118
To: Terrell, Barbara A.

Subject: Under Review

From: LaMont Johnson [lamontj64@gmail.com]
Sent: Friday, February 11, 2011 12:06 PM

To Whom It May Concern:

I wish to express my concern over the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.” This action seems to be totally unnecessary and a waist of time and money. Please just enforce the laws relating to fire arms that already exist.

LaMont Johnson

425 Dori Bell Lane
Reno, NV 89523
Dear Barbara Terrell,

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Lana Fishkin
171 Gramercy Rd
BALA CYNWYD, PA 19004
Barbara A. Terrell,  
I am writing you in response to a recommendation for multiple long gun sales reporting by the Department of Justice Inspector General requiring licensed dealers and pawnbrokers in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. Such a requirement would not be in compliance with the Gun Control Act. Not to mention a waste of my tax money. I believe it would be much more prudent to spend my tax money on securing our border instead of infringing on one of my constitutional rights.

Sincerely,

LANCE BROWN  
4665 S. Quarterline Rd.  
Muskegon, MI 49444
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Lance Robert
453 13th St #328
San Diego, CA 92101
It is beyond my comprehension why ATF needs to know who is purchasing long guns along the border states. Absurd as it sounds, it seems as though the law-abiding citizen is being labeled as a terrorist. I think this is a total abuse of power by the federal gov't, and the current administration is still trampling all over the US Constitution.

Thank you for your time

William Logan
Weeki Wachee, Fl 34613
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Lane Butler
PO Box 7324
Tempe, AZ 85281
Only congress has the authority to force people to register their firearms. I am against any form of gun registration especially a sneaky back door method of gun registration like what is being proposed in the south west states by the BATF.

Lane Huie
1238 Mitchell Ave
Statesville, NC 28677

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Most Armed and Most Free
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laraine reedy
PO Box 556
blairstown, NJ 07825
Barbara,

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Tim Large

*Timothy Large*
*Anadarko Petroleum Corp.*
*Production Supervisor - Electrical*
*Rocky Mountain Divisions*
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LaRoy and Mary Seaver
1901 Ptarmigan Trail #102
ESTES PARK, CO 80517
Dear Ms. Terrell,

I am appalled at the ATF proposal to register semi auto rifles. I am an FFL dealer and a retired NY State Correction Officer. Why in the world would ATF assume that the “bad guys” are buying their guns legally when we all know that their interests are in full auto weapons. Even if this regulation was passed it would not stop them from acquiring these guns from individuals, rather than dealers. As a dealer I only sell to individuals who pass the FBI background check and have, at times, refused to sell a firearm to someone who doesn’t appear “kosher”. All of these regulations will not stop the criminal from getting the firearm that he wants, but will certainly hamper the law abiding individual.

Thank you,

Lawrence S. Weiss
Middletown, NY
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Larry Bamford
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Chantilly, VA 20151
Cooksey, Roberta B.

From: Larry Bell [larryb@infowest.com]
Sent: Friday, February 11, 2011 4:19 PM
To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: the December 17, 2010 "Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles."

Referencing the December 17, 2010 "Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles", I am opposed to the collection of any data concerning the sale of any firearm from an FFL under any circumstances.

Larry Bell
Cedar City, Utah
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Larry Best
855 17th Street
Rock Island, IL 61201
From: larry betzel [fycapn@hotmail.com]
Sent: Friday, February 11, 2011 9:45 AM
To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: multiple sale of certain rifles

RE: December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

Ms. Terrell,

I side with the NRA on this one and believe there is no answer without Mexico's strong help. If this problem is so vast maybe Mexico should send massive amounts of troops to the border. These are difficult times and call for strong action on our southern border but this is not it. Some firearms are surely coming from the united states, many probably through theft the same as many vehicles end up in mexico but i believe the vast majority are by other means. Lets investigate where they are really coming from instead of wasting time investigating the sales of firearms to law abiding citizens.

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Lawrence Betzel SC
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Larry Bradshaw
15466 Nopel Avenue
Forest Ranch, CA 95942
Subject: Oppose Regulation Expanding Multiple Sale Reporting

I am writing to oppose the so called emergency regulation to register multiple sales of certain rifles with BATFE as described in FR Doc. 2010-31761 from the 12/17/2010 Federal Register.  

This regulation is both illegal and unnecessary. Further there is no justification for any "emergency" implementation as reported by the Washington Post: White House delayed rule meant to stop gun flow to Mexico, Washington Post, Dec. 17, 2010, On-line edition: (http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2010/12/17/AR2010121706598.html).

* The regulation proposed is outside the statutory grant of authority to record information about multiple sales of firearms. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) specifically grants the authority to collect multiple sale information on handguns and revolvers. Other firearms are excluded and there is no implied authority to extend this reporting requirement to rifles or any other type of firearm.

* "FFL" holders are already required by law to respond to BATFE requests for information on firearms distribution pursuant to criminal investigations: Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(7).

* The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of information collected, which establishes a nationwide registry of "certain types of firearms" as proposed. Because of this the regulation as proposed is illegal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a). "No such rule or regulation, may require that records required to be maintained under this chapter or any portion of the contents of such records, be recorded at or transferred to a facility owned, managed, or controlled by the United States or any State or any political subdivision thereof, nor that any system of registration of firearms, firearms owners, or firearms transactions or disposition be established."

There is a grave potential for this regulation to unduly burden citizens who are collectors or must obtain purchase permits at the local or state level to possess firearms. The proposed regulation does not say what the agency intends to do with the information but ostensibly it would be for criminal investigations. Subjecting law abiding gun owners to this type of investigation under the guise of "information collection" is an overt attempt to prevent them from exercising their 2nd Amendment rights to purchase and own firearms.

* This regulatory action has not allowed the public sufficient time to comment.

This regulatory action should not be approved.

Larry T. Brooke
1404 East 8th Street
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Hi:
The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives is demanding the authority to require all of the 8,500 firearm dealers in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas to report all sales of two or more semiautomatic rifles within five consecutive business days, if the rifles are larger than .22 caliber and use detachable magazines. For example, a dealer would have to tell the government every time a deer hunter in Sacramento or Amarillo finds a good deal on a pair of semi-auto .30-06s like the popular Remington 7400.

(The above is so you will know what I am talking about). Why do you or any one think that more gun laws will do anything to the bad guy's or the mex's. They don't O' bay the laws you have now. All this does is put more on the people. This new Gun law is no good now or in the future. Enforce the laws you have now. Thanks,

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Dear Barbara Terrell,

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Larry Caudill
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Ms. Terrell,

I think by now we have learned that more gun laws don’t mean less crime. ATF already has problems sorting through the current reporting requirements from gun stores. Why make more regulations that don’t help the cause. Please reconsider your request for more useless requirements of lawful gun owners.

Thank you for your time,

Larry Crespo
Dear Ms. Terrell

I didn’t complain when they asked me to pass a background check to purchase a handgun. I didn’t complain when they ban automatic weapons. I didn’t complain when they ban magazines that could hold many rounds of ammunition. I didn’t complain when they ban …… But now I must ask why do you care if someone purchases more than one rifle in a 5 day period from the same dealer?

Thanks,
Larry Davis
Larry Farmer [larryfarmer@roadrunner.com]

Sunday, February 13, 2011 12:38 PM

Terrell, Barbara A.

Reporting multiple sales of certain long guns

Barbara A. Terrell  
Firearms Industry Programs Branch  
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives  
99 New York Avenue, N.E.  
Washington, DC 20226

I encourage you to withdraw the BATFE request to have the sale of two or more certain long guns subject reporting by the selling FFL licensed dealer located in states that border Mexico.

I see it as a ‘feel-good’ exercise that does nothing but make extra work for gun dealers. No crimes will be solved or prosecutions brought that will break-up some ‘crime-ring’ that is responsible for the terrorism going on inside of Mexico that the USA is somehow getting blamed for.

Also, I do not see where BATFE has the authority to make such reporting mandatory.

Please listen to my plea and those of many, many others,

Regards,

Larry Farmer  
Carlsbad, CA
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Larry Fox
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Cc: emailmccaul@mail.house.gov; info@johncornyn.com
Subject: Subject: Oppose Regulation Expanding Multiple Sale Reporting

Two words: Project Gunwalker.

The ATF does not need more power. What the ATF needs at the least is immediate adult supervision in the form of Congressional oversight beginning with the culpability of your Phoenix office in the murder of CPB Agent Brian Terry. Until that happens, the senior executive cowboys of "Project Gunwalker" do not need to be further emboldened or empowered. Neither do the lying criminals in the Chief Counsel's Office. Just ask the family of Brian Terry.


This regulation is both illegal and unnecessary. Further there is no justification for any "emergency" implementation as reported by the Washington Post:


* The regulation proposed is outside the statutory grant of authority to record information about multiple sales of firearms. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) specifically grants the authority to collect multiple sale information on handguns and revolvers. Other firearms are excluded and there is no implied authority to extend this reporting requirement to rifles or any other type of firearm.

* "FFL" holders are already required by law to respond to BATFE requests for information on firearms distribution pursuant to criminal investigations: Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(7).

* The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of information collected, which establishes a nationwide registry of "certain types of firearms" as proposed. Because of this the regulation as proposed is illegal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a). "No such rule or regulation may require that records required to be maintained under this chapter or any portion of the contents of such records, be recorded at or transferred to a facility owned, managed, or controlled by the United States or any State or any political subdivision thereof, nor that any system of registration of firearms, firearms owners, or firearms transactions or disposition be established."

There is a grave potential for this regulation to unduly burden citizens who are collectors or must obtain purchase permits at the local or state level to possess firearms. The proposed regulation does not say what the agency intends to do with the information but ostensibly it would be for criminal investigations. Subjecting law abiding gun owners to this type of investigation under the guise of "information collection" is an overt attempt to prevent them from exercising their 2nd Amendment rights to purchase and own firearms.

* This regulatory action has not allowed the public sufficient time to comment.

This regulatory action should not be approved.
Dear Ms. Terrell,
Attached is your copy of a letter I am sending to:
OMB
Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer
Washington, DC 20503

Larry Harbison
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Dear Ms. Terrell,

Attached please find NSSF’s comments on the referenced information collection.

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The National Shooting Sports Foundation is the trade association for the firearms industry.

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it is an infringement on privacy an an attempt to start registration we dont want that mexicn crimial got alot of tyheir guns from corupt goverment agents dont punish us honest cicitents for that
From: Larry L Lawler [lawlerll@centurytel.net]
Sent: Saturday, February 12, 2011 5:34 PM
To: oira_submission@omb.eop.gov
Cc: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: December 17, 2010 "Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles."

Re: Federal Register Notice of December 17, 2010 (Volume 75, Number 242, Page 79021), 60-Day Emergency Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to express my concerns on this ATF information collection request to the OMB. The notice proposed an "emergency" requirement that certain federal firearms licensees report multiple sales or other dispositions whenever the licensee sells or otherwise disposes of two or more rifles within any five consecutive business days with the following characteristics:

(a) Semi automatic;

(b) a caliber greater than .22; and

(c) the ability to accept a detachable magazine.

Currently, the OMB has denied the "emergency" request. But regardless of the timeframe in which approval is sought, ATF does not have the statutory authority to impose this requirement on licensees.

The Congress has comprehensively defined what ATF may and may not require with respect to licensees' records. By specifically requiring reports only of multiple handgun sales, Congress implicitly rejected the idea of requiring reports on multiple sales of other firearms. ATF seemed to understand that point when it responded in October to a recommendation for multiple long gun sales reporting by the Department of Justice Inspector General. ATF's comment on that recommendation was that it would "explore the full range of options" but that such a requirement "may require a change to the Gun Control Act."

Now, from what I read, these reports will be requested through "demand letters"—a mechanism that for many years had been used only to conduct firearm traces, to obtain aggregate manufacturing statistics, or to obtain contact information for buyers of certain firearms later declared to be subject to the National Firearms Act. Even when ATF began to use demand letters to seek a broader range of firearm transaction records, one court upholding that program cautioned that the demand letter statute "is not a limitless delegation of authority" and "cannot be construed in an open-ended fashion."

The scope of the proposed collection suggests in itself that the proposal exceeds ATF's statutory authority. The Fourth Circuit stressed that the letter at issue in the RSM case was sent to only 41 licensees out of the 80,000 licensees in the United States. A second type of demand letter was sent to only 450 dealers nationwide. Now, ATF proposes to issue demand letters to approximately 8,500 licensees. That estimate appears to be based on
the total number of licensed dealers and pawnbrokers in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. If so, nearly one out of seven firearm retailers in the United States would receive demand letters for multiple rifle sales.

The burden estimate in the proposal appears to assume that each licensee subject to a demand letter will respond once during the proposed duration of the program. Given the great variety in size and sales volume among the thousands of licensees in the border states, this seems unlikely. Even if the burden estimate in the proposal is correct, it is unclear how ATF could make effective use of the large number of reports that would be generated. Recent media reports suggest that ATF is already unable to handle dealers' voluntary, real-time reports of possible "straw purchases." If processing thousands of additional mandatory reports takes even more resources away from investigating these suspicious transactions, the proposed information collection may be more harmful than helpful.

I am well aware that the United States would like to take strong steps to address drug-related violence in Mexico. But lawlessness in Mexico—driven by multi-billion dollar drug cartels with access to any and all types of arms on international black markets—is no excuse for U.S. law enforcement agencies to spend scarce resources on programs that exceed their legal powers.

Therefore I believe the OMB should deny ATF's request to approve its proposed collection of information.

Larry L. Lawler

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Larry Le Starge
12921 Reeder
Overland Park, KS 66213
Hi, Barbara

Re: December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

The proposed emergency regulation is flawed in at least two ways, and I have a third input as a suggestion:

1. It will not have the desired effect. You’d do much better off to have a hotline for anyone to report suspicious purchases to. By the time someone files a paper form and if and only if someone actually looks at it the persons of interest will be long gone.

2. The estimate of the impact is far understated and inconsistent. The December posting has 9,000 entities doing a 30 minute form. The OMB has 8,479 (no one knows a number that accurate!) affected people doing a 12 minute form. Both are wrong. Each respondent will have to check if each gun sale sets the trigger. You need to base the estimate on the number of gun sales. There are 14,000,000 per year in the U.S. Let’s assume the four affected states represent about 30% of the U.S. population (I think all of California is included). That means over the 180 day period there would need to be about 4,620,000 checks PLUS the amount for doing the form. Even at two minutes per check that is approximately 77,000 hours in the 180 day period; or about 150,000 hours per year.

3. Since the background checks already done have the information on gun purchases you should build this check into your database and not put an additional burden on the public to do the job you are paid to do.

Regards,

Larry Leach, PMP

www.Advanced-Projects.com
208-345-1136
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Larry Moss
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Greenville, MI 48838
Ma'am,

As a former police officer, I can honestly say that the proposed reporting requirement regarding multiple long gun purchases is unnecessary and onerous only to the honest. It will not impact violent crime or the ability to investigate it, but will create huge volumes of work for honest, law-abiding firearms owners.

I strongly oppose the reasoning behind this proposal, as well as it's implementation.

Sincerely,

Larry Pomykalski
Frankfort, IL
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Larry Petersen
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Sioux City, IA 51104
What do you hope to accomplish by the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”?

Other than overloading an already overloaded bureaucracy.

Larry Prentiss
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Hot Springs, AR 71913
501-276-4277
Dear Barbara Terrell,

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To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Cc: Webmaster@SMOJMD.USDOJ.gov
Subject: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles."

Dept. of Justice - Desk Officer
ATF - Barbara A. Terrell

Refer to the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

The ATF has no legal authority to demand these reports, and the flood of new paperwork will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations.

Every concerned gun owner’s voice should be heard on this critically important issue.

We are sick and tired of the Frivolous Attempts to inact more worthless Gun Control Laws that will not help or stop the illegal use of firearms !!! The only thing these Frivolous attempts do is waste the tax payers money and create more problems for Hunters and Gun Owners that legally purchase their firearms ! (Do you think most Crimals get their weapons Legally ?)
Please  Stop these Frivolous and Unlawful attempts at Worthless Gun Control !!!!
Thank You,
Larry Sundy
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Larry Trochtenberg
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SAINT LOUIS, MO 63146
Law enforcement and independent business owners has more important things to do than waste office hours filling out paperwork reporting gun sales to the U.S. government. This is a political angle to control guns in the United States. If the federal government would worry more about illegal immigration and controlling the border, gun sales wouldn’t be an issue. Keep in mind the criminal is going to get their guns at whatever cost. There is no reason to punish the buyer with more paperwork and review time. There isn’t any reason to control gun sales in America.

Larry White,
Arkansas
Dear Ms. Terrell,

I am writing you today as a tax payer and citizen to express my concern regarding this notice under review.

The additional paperwork created by this action will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations. Please do not implement this. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Lars Knox
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Lars Keffer
9022 Norma Place
WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90069
Please OPPOSE the “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

This is an unnecessary regulation and is not allowed under Federal law. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) does not grant any such registration of multiple purchases of firearms, except for handguns.

The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of the collected information, and therefore is not legal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a).

Laws do matter and this unnecessary and extra-legal proposal must NOT be approved.

Sincerely,

Laryn Christley

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Laura Horowitz  
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Lauren Bryant
2915 Hopeton Rd.
La Crescenta, CA 91214
DEAR MS. TERRELL,

Please be notified that I strongly oppose the proposed registration of two or more long guns by your agency. This is nothing more than another gun control scheme, that will waste precious law enforcement, ATF, and DOJ resources and burden lawful firearm purchases. Being in law enforcement for the past 35 years I have seen that nearly all firearms used illegally have also been obtained illegally. Please help us officers on the streets prosecute and punish those obtaining and using firearms against law-abiding Americans.

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Laurence Hoard
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Please OPPOSE the “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

This is an unnecessary regulation and is not allowed under Federal law. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) does not grant any such registration of multiple purchases of firearms, except for handguns.

The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of the collected information, and therefore is not legal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a).

Laws do matter and this unnecessary and extra-legal proposal must NOT be approved.

Sincerely,

Larry Korn
Virginia Beach, VA

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Cooksey, Roberta B.

From: Laurence Yorgason [laurenceyorgason@comcast.net]
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Laurice Yarn
718 Weymouth Ct.
Virginia Beach, VA 23462
I am writing to oppose the so called emergency regulation to register multiple sales of certain rifles with BATFE as described in FR Doc. 2010-31761 from the 12/17/2010 Federal Register. 

This regulation is both illegal and unnecessary. Further there is no justification for any "emergency" implementation as reported by the Washington Post:

* The regulation proposed is outside the statutory grant of authority to record information about multiple sales of firearms. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) specifically grants the authority to collect multiple sale information on handguns and revolvers. Other firearms are excluded and there is no implied authority to extend this reporting requirement to rifles or any other type of firearm.

* "FFL" holders are already required by law to respond to BATFE requests for information on firearms distribution pursuant to criminal investigations: Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(7).

* The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of information collected, which establishes a nationwide registry of "certain types of firearms" as proposed. Because of this the regulation as proposed is illegal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a). "No such rule or regulation . may require that records required to be maintained under this chapter or any portion of the contents of such records, be recorded at or transferred to a facility owned, managed, or controlled by the United States or any State or any political subdivision thereof, nor that any system of registration of firearms, firearms owners, or firearms transactions or disposition be established."

There is a grave potential for this regulation to unduly burden citizens who are collectors or must obtain purchase permits at the local or state level to possess firearms. The proposed regulation does not say what the agency intends to do with the information but ostensibly it would be for criminal investigations. Subjecting law abiding gun owners to this type of investigation under the guise of
"information collection" is an overt attempt to prevent them from exercising their 2nd Amendment rights to purchase and own firearms.

* This regulatory action has not allowed the public sufficient time to comment.

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Sincerely,
Mr. Laurie Bendio
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Laurie Jacobs
450 Bolinas Rd.
Fairfax, CA 94930
Dear Ms. Terrell;

I urge you to reject this proposal to further burden legal dealers and buyers.

This is nothing more than an attempt to divert attention from the real problem which is the Federal Government's failure to police its own borders.

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William Lennon
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Richmond KY 40475
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LaVerne Means
9345 Wax Myrtle Way
Manassas, VA 20110
I do not believe that the ATF has the right to limit the sale of rifles that are automatic and exceed 22caliber when an American citizen wants to purchase more than two at one time.

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Lawrence Spatz
56 Bridge St
Lanesborough, MA 01237
To whom it may concern:

I am strongly against the Dec. 17, 2010 "Notice of Information under review. Report of Multiple sale or other disposition of certain Rifles. When you buy any firearm you are already required to fill out a Federal Form and have a background check. This is totally a waste of Tax payers money. This will not solve anything. Thank You. Lawrence F. Tavares, 3350 Ayshire St., Jacksonville, Fl. 32226

Tho I walk in the valley of death, I fear no evil, because I carry a 45 ACP, and a M4 carbine.
To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to offer my comments on this Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (ATF) information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). The notice proposed an "emergency" requirement that certain federal firearms licensees report multiple sales or other dispositions whenever the licensee sells or otherwise disposes of two or more rifles within any five consecutive business days with the following characteristics:

(a) Semi automatic;
(b) a caliber greater than .22; and
(c) the ability to accept a detachable magazine.

Now, the OMB has denied the "emergency" request. But regardless of the timeframe in which approval is sought, ATF does not have the statutory authority to impose this requirement on licensees. The reasons for that lack of authority are many; but in short, the Congress has comprehensively defined what ATF may and may not require with respect to licensees' records. By specifically requiring reports only of multiple handgun sales, Congress implicitly rejected the idea of requiring reports on multiple sales of other firearms. ATF seemed to understand that point when it responded in October to a recommendation for multiple long gun sales reporting by the Department of Justice Inspector General. ATF's comment on that recommendation was that it would "explore the full range of options" but that such a requirement "may require a change to the Gun Control Act."

These reports will be requested through "demand letters"—a mechanism that for many years had been used only to conduct firearm traces, to obtain aggregate manufacturing statistics, or to obtain contact information for buyers of certain firearms later declared to be subject to the National Firearms Act. Even when ATF began to use demand letters to seek a broader range of firearm transaction records, one court upholding that program cautioned that the demand letter statute "is not a limitless delegation of authority" and "cannot be construed in an open-ended fashion."

The scope of the proposed collection suggests in itself that the proposal exceeds ATF's statutory authority. The Fourth Circuit stressed that the letter at issue in the *RSM*
case was sent to only 41 licensees out of the 80,000 licensees in the United States. A second type of demand letter was sent to only 450 dealers nationwide. Now, ATF proposes to issue demand letters to approximately 8,500 licensees. That estimate appears to be based on the total number of licensed dealers and pawnbrokers in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. If so, nearly one out of seven firearm retailers in the United States would receive demand letters for multiple rifle sales.

The burden estimate in the proposal appears to assume that each licensee subject to a demand letter will respond once during the proposed duration of the program. Given the great variety in size and sales volume among the thousands of licensees in the border states, this seems unlikely. Even if the burden estimate in the proposal is correct, it is unclear how ATF could make effective use of the large number of reports that would be generated. Recent media reports suggest that ATF is already unable to handle dealers' voluntary, real-time reports of possible "straw purchases." If processing thousands of additional mandatory reports takes even more resources away from investigating these suspicious transactions, the proposed information collection may be more harmful than helpful.

I am well aware that ATF would, understandably, like to take strong steps to address drug-related violence in Mexico. But lawlessness in Mexico—driven by multi-billion dollar drug cartels with access to any and all types of arms on the international black markets—is no excuse for U.S. law enforcement agencies to spend scarce resources on programs that exceed their legal powers and infringe on the rights of the citizens of these United States.

Therefore, OMB should deny ATF's request to approve its proposed collection of information.

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Lawrence Todryk
355 Belle Ct
Grayslake, IL 60030
Dear Barbara, I would expect the Government personnel have enough to and are understaffed to do all jobs well at present. I see that a bill to notify the Government I bought "two semi automatic rifles today" and then have that reported to a Government office for no apparent reason (is someone going to follow up on a weekly, monthly or yearly basis to find out where one or both of these rifles are) until the rifle shows up in a robbery or a Battle somewhere. We the American people and Government are spending Taxpayers money (mine and yours) to stop a war in Mexico and I don't believe Mexico is a part of the USA yet. A weapon is used to defend ones property or life or used in Battle such as Viet Nam, Iraq, and other countries we seem to have our Soldiers fighting for a supposed reason of stopping someone from blowing up the USA, of course If you take note they came by Plane here and were allowed by "us" to visit or work and now "no one" knows their where abouts, not follow up by "US". So registering two semi automatic rifles are more important than keeping up with Terrorist 'we" allowed and trained to fly" destroy our Country! I am a retired US Army Command Sergeant Major of 30 years, I protected my country and will continue to do so as well as protect what I have earned. Please concentrate on those items of Importance that are at the edge of our Borders and of Importance Over seas, I have Family Still" serving our Commander In Chief today!!!

CSM (Retired John Lawrence
From: LCBest1253@aol.com
Sent: Sunday, February 13, 2011 10:43 AM
To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Mul

Reference to the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.

It appears that our Government is now exerting ”Martial Law” on Americans by allowing the ATF to use its Gestapo type Authority to demand that the 2nd Amendment is NO longer a Right. What comes next authorizing the American Military to kick down our doors and confiscate all our firearms. FBI reports have shown that the weapons the Mexican Cartels are using are not the same type American Law Abiding Citizens can even own. The Mexican Army is just that during the day and at night Cartel Members at the same time. Requiring Law Abiding Citizens to bow down to the ATF is criminal and speaking of Criminals why doesn’t Barack Hussein enforce Federal Law and go after Criminals and “Illegal Aliens” to which he seems to be one himself and Secure our Southern Borders, then Americans will feel safe and maybe he will realize that the firearms sold in the Southern States are not intended for the Mexican Cartel. Look to China, Israel, Iran, Korea, and the rest of the World for selling guns to the Mexican Cartels!!!!!!!

The ATF has no legal authority to demand these reports, and the flood of new paperwork will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations. Here is what is happening across America now~~~~and Thomas Jefferson said it perfectly.

"When the people fear their government, it is tyranny. When the government fears its people, it is Liberty.” ~ Thomas Jefferson.

Lloyd C. Best
Dear Barbara Terrell

I am opposed to the ATF proposal to require the collection of sales information on long guns. It seems to me that this is just one more step on a slippery slope toward collecting information from all gun sales in order to eventually come into Americans homes and confiscate our Constitutionally legally owned weapons. Maybe you should stop adding to the laws and start using that time instead to enforce the existing laws.

Serving the Savior while searching the sky;

Pastor LD Maxson

Psalms 36:5 "Thy mercy, O LORD, is in the heavens; and thy faithfulness reacheth unto the clouds."
Ms. Terrell;

Would you please deny the ATF the ability to collect purchase data on "Long Guns" sold in the southwest. I believe this request supercedes the authority granted to the agency by Congress and is an infringement on the rights of lawful U.S. citizens. I am in full sympathy with the frustration involved in fighting the Mexican drug cartels, but I fail to see how tracking legal purchases of firearms in the U.S. will help eliminate the violence in Mexico. The way I see it, the problem is not guns, but rather, illegal drugs. Therefore, I feel as if our limited resources ought to be used in protecting our citizens and stopping the flow of drugs across our southern border instead of putting undue burdens on legal gun dealers and purchasers. Thank you for your service and for considering my request.

Sincerely,
Larry Acord, Jr.
Sanford, NC
This proposed extra legal action will not affect Mexican drug cartels in the slightest. Stop treating law abiding American gun owners as criminals, and spend your resources on real crimes. You already lack the ability to investigate present multiple purchases reported as suspicious; how will collecting more data improve this situation?

Leigh Alan Dyer
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LEANN RAMIREZ
10755 MARKET AVE NW
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Cooksey, Roberta B.

From: lechlite@roadrunner.com
Sent: Thursday, February 10, 2011 10:08 PM
To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: Longgun reporting

When are you guys going to respect our second amendment rights. Do you really think that criminals are going to follow your rules? You must be kidding! They will go around any rule you install and the rest of we law abiding citizens will have to put up with your draconian laws? Please reconsider your longun reporting rule. Dan L. Oxnard, Ca.
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Lee Frank
14648 Tustin St.
Sherman Oaks, CA 91403
I oppose any effort by the BATF to register firearms as per "Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles." It is already illegal to purchase a firearm intended for resale or other criminal use.

Lee Higgins

Sent from my iPhone
Barbara A. Terrell

The federal government is turning the USA into a socialistic country. I am very much apposed to the December 17, 2010 "Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles." The money this would cost would be better spent on so many other things it is sickening. All of citizens rights are being cut away little by little. Now the government is cutting faster and faster. They don't want to do anything about the illegals that cost the citizens so much in taxes. But they want to spend my money on this. And the ATF has no legal authority to demand these reports.

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To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: Report of multiple sales or other disposition...

OMB
Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer
Washington D C 20503

Ref: Dec 2010 Notice of information collection under review.
   Report of multiple sale or other disposition of certain rifles.

ATF

I strongly oppose your proposition to collect information on American citizens who purchase semi automatic firearms of any kind.
If you are really trying to protect the American People then stop regulating the honest gun buying public and concentrate on the illegal use and possession of guns in the hands of Americas enemies.

People who buy semi-automatic weapons and use them for hunting, recreation and for home defense are not your enemy.

The enemies of this country are buying, stealing and smuggling into this country, fully- automatic weapons and using them against the private citizenry of this land in a growing number.

I hate to point it out to you but it appears you are not doing a very good job at addressing that problem. You might want to ask for help from the worlds largest private army… the American people.

Lee McCoy
Ariz. Department of Public Safety (Retired)
789 So. 3430 E.
New Harmony, Ut. 84757
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Midlothian, VA 23005
Ms. Terrell, With all due respect I wish to submit my opposition to the "Emergency Reporting" of multiple sales of certain rifles in the border states with Mexico. There is so few examples of these reports doing any good in enforcement on any laws since the Gun Control Act of 1968 was passed into law.

This requirement is not part of that act and it is wrong for the agency to attempt to circumvent congress with this useless paper trail.

Lee Payment
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I am writing to oppose the so called emergency regulation to register multiple sales of certain rifles with BATFE as described in FR Doc. 2010-31761 from the 12/17/2010 Federal Register. 


This regulation is both illegal and unnecessary. Further there is no justification for any "emergency" implementation as reported by the Washington Post:

* The regulation proposed is outside the statutory grant of authority to record information about multiple sales of firearms. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) specifically grants the authority to collect multiple sale information on handguns and revolvers. Other firearms are excluded and there is no implied authority to extend this reporting requirement to rifles or any other type of firearm.

* "FFL" holders are already required by law to respond to BATFE requests for information on firearms distribution pursuant to criminal investigations: Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(7).

* The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of information collected, which establishes a nationwide registry of "certain types of firearms" as proposed. Because of this the regulation as proposed is illegal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a). "No such rule or regulation . may require that records required to be maintained under this chapter or any portion of the contents of such records, be recorded at or transferred to a facility owned, managed, or controlled by the United States or any State or any political subdivision thereof, nor that any system of registration of firearms, firearms owners, or firearms transactions or disposition be established."

There is a grave potential for this regulation to unduly burden citizens who are collectors or must obtain purchase permits at the local or state level to possess firearms. The proposed regulation does not say what the agency intends to do with the information but ostensibly it would be for criminal investigations. Subjecting law abiding gun owners to this type of investigation under the guise of "information collection" is an overt attempt to prevent them from exercising their 2nd Amendment rights to purchase and own firearms.

* This regulatory action has not allowed the public sufficient time to comment.

This regulatory action should not be approved.

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Cooksey, Roberta B.

From: Lee Thompson [ljt_416@yahoo.com]
Sent: Saturday, February 12, 2011 10:45 PM
To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

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I am very disappointed in the agencies decision to now request long gun sales reporting. I further believe that it is unlawful for the agency to do this. I request that the agency stop this activity and, instead guard the law abiding U.S. citizens rights to gun ownership in a free country. Reporting of long gun sales would do nothing but further burden the law abiding person. Your agency needs to dwell on the criminal element of our society, and not dwell on the honest person.

Respectfully; Lee J Thompson
Ma’am, please review the National Rifle Association (NRA) rebuttal to these baseless, wateful and, utterly nonsensical schemes to curb weapons sales in the United States. That’s what it boils down to and it’s not just about the so-called border states. If the ATF seizes this kind of power, the siver lining will be the means to the entire Golden Egg: Complete control of all weapons and I reckon a European-style ban of all personal weapons.

Please refer to Dec 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.” Hmmm, "certain" rifles? That could mean anything the ATF wants it to mean whether or not it states what “certain” implies. "Certain" might just as well imply a bullet exiting the muzzel of a long gun and, presto; all guns fall into this "certain" category. The U.N. would love nothing better than to disarm this country and "certain" government agencies appear to be poised to do just that through frivolous regulation, law and, eventually bans.

These laws only hurt law abiding citizens and do nothing except incite the far left views of many anti-gun groups whose disdain for weapons is clear. The 2nd Amendment seems to be a door mat for these groups and the ATF continually makes attempts at muddying the door mat (US Constitution).

V/r
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Subject: GOOD WORK note rescinded!

I really meant to explain my GREAT CONCERN for the expansive "take-over" of basic rights (self-protection needs)....NOT SURE BATFE IS WATCHING THE SAME "southern border problem" as others !!!! WE THE PEOPLE NEED BASIC SAFETY !!!! please help, not hinder, true law enforcement.
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ATF HAS NO AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE MULTIPLE SALES REPORTING FOR RIFLES

The December 17, 2010 "Emergency Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles" does not indicate the statutory authority upon which ATF relies for its proposed multiple sales reporting requirement. However, a statement by ATF Deputy Director Kenneth Melson posted online at www.atf.gov indicates that licensees will be sent "demand letters" seeking the information. This memorandum explains why ATF's "demand letter" authority does not authorize the proposed collection.

The statutory authority for "demand letters" is 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(5)(A), which provides:

Each licensee shall, when required by letter issued by the Attorney General, and until notified to the contrary in writing by the Attorney General, submit on a form specified by the Attorney General, for periods and at the times specified in such letter, all record information required to be kept by this chapter or such lesser record information as the Attorney General in such letter may specify.

In determining whether § 923(g)(5)(A) authorizes ATF to require the reporting of multiple sales of certain rifles, its words "must be read in their context and with a view to their place in the overall statutory scheme." Davis v. Michigan Dept. of Treasury, 489 U.S. 803, 809 (1989). More recently, the Supreme Court has explained:

In determining whether Congress has specifically addressed the question at issue, a reviewing court should not confine itself to examining a particular statutory provision in isolation. The meaning—or ambiguity—of certain words or phrases may only become evident when placed in context.... A court must therefore interpret the statute "as a symmetrical and coherent regulatory scheme," ... and "fit, if possible, all parts into an harmonious whole . . . ."


InMastro Plastics Corp. v. Labor Board, 350 U.S. 270, 285 (1956), the Court rejected an interpretation of a statute which read words in isolation:

If the above words are read in complete isolation from their context in the Act, such an interpretation is possible. However, "In expounding a statute, we must not be guided by a single sentence or member of a sentence, but look to the provisions of the whole law, and to its object and policy." (citations omitted).

1 350 U.S. at 285.

Thus, in determining the scope of ATF's authority under § 923(g)(5)(A), not only must § 923(g)(5)(A) itself be considered, but other statutory provisions must be considered to ascertain Congress' intent and give effect to the legislative will. Philbrook v. Glodgett, All U.S. 707, 713 (1975).

With respect to multiple sales reporting, Congress has already expressly addressed this question. 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) provides:

(A) Each licensee shall prepare a report of multiple sales or other
dispositions whenever the licensee sells or otherwise disposes of, at one
time or during any five consecutive business days, two or more pistols, or
revolvers, or any combination of pistols and revolvers totalling two or
more, to an unlicensed person. The report shall be prepared on a form
specified by the Attorney General and forwarded to the office specified
thereon and to the department of State police or State law enforcement
agency of the State or local law enforcement agency of the local
jurisdiction in which the sale or other disposition took place, not later than
the close of business on the day that the multiple sale or other disposition
occurs.

It is well-established that "a statute ought, upon the whole, to be so construed that,
if it can be prevented, no clause, sentence, or word shall be superfluous, void, or
omitted).

If § 923(g)(5)(A) authorizes ATF to require the reporting of multiple sales of
certain rifles, § 923(g)(3)(A) is rendered superfluous and insignificant because ATF
could use the authority of § 923(g)(5)(A) to require the submission of reports of multiple
handgun sales. That Congress deemed necessary the enactment of § 923(g)(3)(A) reveals
that Congress did not intend that § 923(g)(5)(A) have the broad reach ascribed to it by
ATF.

Further, "[w]hen a statute limits a thing to be done in a particular mode, it
includes a negative of any other mode." *Christensen v. Harris County,* 529 U.S. 576, 583
(2000). Here, Congress expressly limited multiple sales reporting to pistols and
revolvers, thereby negating multiple sales reporting of certain rifles.

The legislative history of § 923(g)(5)(A) confirms that Congress did not intend
that § 923(g)(5)(A) would be used to require reporting of multiple sales reporting of
certain rifles.

2 See also *Bulova Watch Co. v. United States,* 365 U.S. 753, 758 (1961)("It is
familiar law that a specific statute controls over a general one").

The original demand letter regulation (27 C.F.R. § 178.126) was promulgated
under, and became effective on the same date as, the Gun Control Act of 1968, December
16, 1968. § 105(a), P.L. 90-618, 82 Stat. 1213 (1968); 33 F.R. 18555, 18556 (Dec. 14,
1968). Harold Serr, Director of the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Division, wrote to Senator
Frank Church on December 17, 1968:

[Un]der no circumstances does the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Division
intend to require licensed firearms dealers to submit all records of firearms
transactions to a central location. This would be in effect gun registration
and the Congress clearly showed its desires in this area when gun
legislation was voted on.

131 Cong. Rec. S9129 (July 9, 1985).

Serr wrote that the demand letter regulation would be used "when we become
aware of violations of the law by an unscrupulous dealer." *Id.* An example would be a
dealer illegally selling handguns to out-of-state residents who stated that "they could give
him any name they chose." In such a situation, "we would require the dealer to submit
records of his sales, not for the purpose of registration, but for the purpose of proceeding
against the dealer for a criminal violation of the law." *Id.* Serr emphasized, however,
that ATF had "no intention of requiring law-abiding gun dealers to report their firearms
transactions to us." *Id.*

Section 103 of FOP A, 100 Stat. 454, amended § 923(g)(1)(A) to provide that
licensees "shall not be required to submit to the Secretary reports . . . except as expressly
required by this section." Such records "include, for instance, multiple sales reports and
certain informational reports used in connection with tracing." S.Rep. 98-583, at 15.
"See, e.g., proposed 18 U.S.C. 923(g)(4)and (5), discussed in more detail infra." *Id.*
n.32.

Subparagraph (4) would be enacted as the demand letter provision. § 103 of
FOP A, 100 Stat. 455. That provision "is based on existing Treasury regulations describing activities which facilitate the Secretary's ability to trace the disposition of firearms in connection with criminal investigations." S.Rep. 98-583, at 17. The report continues:

Subparagraph (5) would be enacted as § 923(g)(3), which provides that a licensee shall report to the Secretary the sale of two or more handguns in a five-day period.

In 1994, Congress enacted § 923(g)(7), which created an explicit duty of a licensee to respond to a trace request, "orally or in writing, as the Attorney General may require" within 24 hours and authorized the Attorney General to make such requests by telephone. A trace request pursuant to § 923(g)(7) was, however, only for the purpose of "determining the disposition of 1 or more firearms in the course of a bona fide criminal investigation."

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The purpose of Paragraph (4) is to clarify and ensure the Secretary's authority to conduct legitimate tracing activities in connection with bona fide criminal investigations. The authority granted to the Secretary under this Paragraph is intended to provide access to all information legitimately needed in sensitive criminal investigations, such as the investigation of President Reagan's attempted assassination. However, because of the breadth of the authority granted, limitations on the use of such information, which do not exist under current regulations, were included to restrict any potential for the abuse of the rights of law-abiding licensees. Id. at 18.

The use of § 923(g)(5)(A) in relation to traces would be limited not only to "bona fide criminal investigations," but would be further confined by what would be enacted as § 926(a).

As the Senate report, which referred to the demand-letter provision as the "tracing provision," further explained:

The multiple sales, out-of-business records, and tracing provisions, which, in certain respects, codify existing regulations, were included in the Committee amendment to achieve an appropriate balance between legitimate law enforcement needs and the Committee's determination to substantially restrict the circumstances under which inspections are authorized. This, in turn, reduces the potential for unwarranted intrusions into the business affairs of law-abiding licensees. However,... the authority granted under 18 U.S.C. 923(g)(3), (4) and (5), as well as that contained in paragraph (1), as amended, are not to be construed to authorize the United States... to use the information obtained from any records or form which are required to be maintained for inspection or submission by licensees under Chapter 44 to establish any system of registration of firearms, firearms owners, or firearms transactions or dispositions. Id. at 18.

§ 926(a) provides in part that the Attorney General may not promulgate a "rule or regulation" which would:

require that records required to be maintained under this chapter or any portion of the contents of such records, be recorded at or transferred to a facility owned, managed, or controlled by the United States....

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Specifically, § 106 of FOP A, 100 Stat. 459-60, amended § 926(a) to prohibit BATF from requiring that licensee records "be recorded at or transferred to" a government facility or establishing any registration system, but allowing the authority to conduct traces "in the course of a criminal investigation." The report states that "this 'tracing' authority is codified in the Committee's amendment," obviously referring to what would be enacted as § 923(g)(5)(A). Senate Report 98-583 at 27.

In later Senate debate, Senator Hatch explained of § 926(a) that "the authority to request tracing information for dealers can never be used to establish any centralized or regional registration system for firearms or firearm owners." 131 Cong. Rec. S8691 (June 24, 1985). Senator Hatch also clarified the understanding of the 1968 demand letter regulation which FOP A would codify as follows:

*In order to facilitate tracing of firearms used in violent crimes, licensed dealers currently are required to provide the Secretary of Treasury with information about specific weapons upon request. Further a dealer must report multiple handgun sales to the same person which occur within 5 consecutive business days, and if the dealer is going out of business, he must send his records to the BATF rather than destroy or otherwise dispose of them. These tracing authorities are included currently in Federal regulations.*

131 Cong. Rec. S8691 (June 24, 1985) (emphasis added).

Senator Hatch added that "the authority to request tracing information for dealers can never be used to establish any centralized or regional registration system for firearms or firearm owners." *Id.* Hatch stated about § 923(g)(5)(A) that "Congress had no intent to require all law-abiding gun dealers to report all their firearms transactions" to BATF. *Id.* at S9129 (July 9, 1985). For the purpose of "clarifying the record information submission requirement for firearms licensees," Senator Hatch inserted into the record ATF Director Serr's explanation of the purpose of the demand letter regulation quoted above.

Not a single senator voiced a contrary view of the purpose of § 923(g)(5)(A).

Thus, the canon of statutory construction that it "is the sponsors that we look to when the meaning of the statutory words is in doubt," *Schwegmann Bros. v. Calvert Corp.*, 341 U.S. 384, 394-395 (1951), applies with particular emphasis with respect to § 923(g)(5)(A).

When the bill was being considered by the House after Senate passage, Edward T. Stevenson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Enforcement and Operations, Department of the Treasury, explained the understanding of the United States of the language which became § 923(g)(5)(A):

*Initially, the bill could be interpreted to remove the statutory authority by which the Government may require licensees to report information from required records. Based on this authority, licensees are currently required by regulations to provide information about particular firearms transactions on request, to report multiple sales of handguns to the same person, and to turn in to the Government out-of-business records upon ceasing business. Under S. 49, as passed by the Senate, these existing reporting requirements would be preserved and now specifically required by statute. Legislation to Modify the 1968 Gun Control Act: Hearings Before the Committee on the Judiciary, House of Representatives, 99th Cong., 1st & 2d Sess., 1139 (1986) (emphasis added). As discussed, supra, the "existing reporting requirements" referred to by Deputy Assistant Secretary Stevenson were "existing Treasury regulations describing activities which facilitate the Secretary's ability to trace the disposition of firearms in connection with crime."*
Thus, it was the clear understanding of both Congress and the executive branch
prior to the enactment of § 923(g)(5)(A) that both the original regulation and the statute
as enacted by FOP A were limited in scope to (1) information from dealers who were in
violation of the law, and (2) information from any dealers about specific firearms
dispositions necessary for bona fide criminal investigations.
Since the proposed multiple sales demand letters will apparently be sent to all
dealers in a four-state area, including those who have never been found in violation of
any law, and will request information about firearms that are not the subject of any
criminal investigation, ATF has no authority for the proposed information collection.
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I’m preparing a short intro of Andy Traver as the ATF Director-Nominee for the February issue of Inside ATF.

Would like to give a ballpark time (this spring? By summer?) we expect that Traver’s hearings will begin in the Senate, if appropriate.

Thanks!

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I am against gun registry. This is not the answer. Please vote no.
Sincerely, Leith Lopez

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Good day,

With respect to the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles”, I would suggest that this additional paperwork will do nothing to deter criminal activity, but will inconvenience the average citizen/resident, burden the dealers, and use scarce law enforcement resources that could be better utilized elsewhere.

Sincerely,

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Leona Illig
1298 Whirlaway Ct.
Gambrills, MD 21054
No more gun control. We want border control. Mexico will always be screwed up until we take over the government and put some honest people in power and stay there and enforce it until they can stand on their own (just like we did at Iraq).

Thanks,

Leonard D. Edwards
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"Because he loves me," says the LORD, "I will rescue him; I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name. He will call upon me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble, I will deliver him and honor him. With long life will I satisfy him and show him my salvation."

Psalm 91: 14-16
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Leonard Haas
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Dear Ms. Terrell,

Thank you for your quick response. Unfortunately, your response failed to answer the questions regarding whether the proposed regulation is constitutional nor did it answer whether this request is in violation of the Paperwork Reduction Act.

I once again respectfully ask that you answer these questions without spinning off with baseless rhetoric.

This and many preceding administrations have failed to secure our borders as is required by our constitution. Many of the problems we face today at our South West border such as illegal immigration, drug trafficking, and arms trafficking are a direct result of this lackadaisical Federal border protection and now your organization wants to illegally burden law abiding FFL entities?

I repeat, if this request is granted, I and many other patriot friends and colleagues will petition our members of congress to quash or defund such unconstitutional actions.

Respectfully submitted,

Leonard F. Harview
Thank you for your comment regarding the 60-day emergency notice of information collection relating to ATF Form 3310.12 (Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles), published in the Federal Register on December 17, 2010. The Federal Register and supplement form may be found at:

The primary purpose of this program is to improve law enforcement’s ability to identify firearms traffickers, to disrupt the criminal activity and to stop deadly violence plaguing the Southwest Border States and Mexico. The multiple sales reports will apply only to rifles that are semi-automatic, greater than .22 caliber, and have the ability to accept a detachable magazine. ATF intends to implement this program to require that Federal firearms licensees in the States of California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas complete the form for those transactions in which an individual purchases two or more of these rifles within five business days. We intend to evaluate the results at the end of a 1 year pilot period, at which time ATF may expand, narrow or discontinue the program.

As mentioned in the notice, if granted by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), the emergency approval of the form is valid for 180 days. All comments received in response to the notice will be carefully considered and, if warranted, revisions to the form will be made.
Dear Ms. Terrell,

Your agency's filing for an emergency regulation requiring gun dealers in states bordering Mexico to keep track of their customers and file special reports to ATF whenever a customer purchases more than one semi-automatic rifle within any 5-day period is totally unconstitutional, especially if the U.S. Congress isn't involved to ratify such.

I despise the fact that your agency thinks they can enact such only upon the approval by the head the White House Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs Cass Sunstein, who famously advocated for the abolition of all hunting and for the extension of legal rights – including the right to have a court-appointed attorney – to animals. Your agency's proposal may also be in violation under the Paperwork Reduction Act forbidding unnecessary increases in paperwork burdens.

These types of far reaching, big government, progressive socialistic actions must cease in our republic and we must return to abiding by the constitution and Bill of Rights.

Similar attempts by your agency in the past were quashed by the McClure-Volkmer Firearms Owners Protection Act to repeal some of the more onerous and confusing sections of the Gun Control Act of 1968.

If Mr. Sunstein's agency approves such a request from your agency, I will promote my many patriot friends and colleagues to solicit members of congress in attempt to put a halt to or defund such.

Respectfully submitted,
Leonard Harview

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Leonard Morgenstern  
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Ms. Terrell:

Your copy of my comments to OMB are attached.

Leonard A. Munger
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Dear Ms. Terrell:

I am writing to you concerning the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.” As a concerned citizen it is my belief that government resources should not be spent on this endeavor. The government should never be allowed to collect information on legal purchases of any type of firearms, to require reporting from businesses engaged in this activity or to limit purchases of the citizenry. Resources, rather, ought to be expended in investigating criminal activity. I am deeply concerned by the continued efforts of the BATFE in contadiction to my 2nd Amendment rights as guaranteed under our U.S. Constitution. I further believe those at BATFE involved in this pursuit ought to be drummed out of the organization. Thank you.

Very truly,
Len Pepitone

P.S. Feel Free to please submit my comments to:
OMB
Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer
Washington, DC 20503
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Leroy Frankel
15 Texas Lane
Longmont, CO 80501
I strongly disagree with your trial to get around the Constitution. The law prohibits this circumvention of the Congress. I am sure the courts will disprove of this and the cost to taxpayers will be prohibited. Please rethink what you intend to do in this matter.
Sincerely

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LeRoy Gleasman
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Rockton, IL. 61072
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Leroy McCoy
4521 Snapfinger Woods Dr. #201
DECATUR, GA 30035
Dear Sir:
I am replying to strongly oppose a firearm hunting ban in the Huron National Forest. I believe all public lands should remain as multiple use lands including use for firearms hunting as they have traditionally. Hunting is an important part of wildlife management.
Sincerely,
LeRoy Rohrer
Most Honorable Barbar, Terrell. We don't need to register our rifles. We need you to protect us from this kind of thing.

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Ms. Terrell,

You must be fully aware that the quantity of AUTOMATIC weapons and explosives can not possibly be obtained from the few boarder state gun dealers. The Mexican criminals are undoubtedly obtaining these on the black market.

That is where ATF should put their efforts.

This is not a reason to punish innocent U.S. citizens and legitimate U.S. businesses.
The December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles” is a bunch of crap.

We already know the government can not stop criminals from having guns.

The government should not only follow what the second amendment to the US Constitution as to say but anyone infringing upon that right of a legal US Citizen should be prosecuted as any other person that breaks the law.

The ATF wants to place more regulations on US Citizens that will have no effect on the US Citizens being able to protect themselves. If anything, the action herein described would actually do more to protect people that are not citizens.

The US Government has a duty to protect the US Citizens and they should get on with it our get out of office.

Government did not make America a great county. It was and will always be the people.

Lastly, if the idiots in government don't get their heads screwed on straight America is going to become an unsettle place to live.

A Life Long American Citizen For 64 Years,
Hobson L. Parker, III
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New Braunfels, Texas
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Les Stern
45th st n
Oakdale, MN 55128
Is this “emergency” ATF law to spread nationwide? This is very unfair to those of us who coach youth shooting teams; we often purchase multiple .22 to .223 rifles for our students.

Please go after real gun runners, none of whom are going to fill out firearm registration paperwork at a gun store. Why not seriously follow up on firearms that are reported stolen and stop this burdensome practice of encumbering lawful gun owners.
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Lesley Mortimer  
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Please stop the intrusive rules against American hunters and sport shooting persons. Please do not make more laws about long gun sales reporting as it is not in keeping with American values of gun ownership and our 2nd Amendment rights. We have more than enough laws about gun control, what we need is more crime control. If our government can or will not protect our borders then who will?

Guns are not the problem, crime is and that is where the fight should be directed. Please remember that gun owners also are voters and lovers of our American way of life. Please listen to us, please.

Respectfully,

L.H. Armstrong
A small business owner
A firearms owner
A patriot
A voter
An American
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Leslie Eichenbaum
3501 Terrace View Dr.
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Ms Terrell

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Alan Mickelson

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Leslie Washington
2870 Heather Dr.
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Ms. Barbara Terrell:

I live in Connecticut, where there are some requirements and checking before allowing purchase of guns. There should be no reason a person should need more than twelve guns in a year. Unless being a member of the military or police department, they would not need automatic weapons or guns with numerous bullet magazines. It is a matter of safety. Whether at gun shows or shops the mentally ill, felons and those involved in the drug trade should not be able to purchase, carry, or sell weapons to others.

Please use what power you have to restrict the easy access to guns. I work to make parents ask if a friend or neighbor where their children play have loaded guns, or if they are properly stored. Far too often children find and use them, harming themselves or friends.

Leslie Weinberg
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Leticia Malagon
201 Cordova Greens
Seminole, FL 33777
Dear Barbra A. Terrell,

Please protect the privacy of Americans. Please don't push legislation to treat gun owners as criminals and terrorists. Yes the problems around our border is of great concern. Labeling anyone who buys more than two rifles a drug "cartel gun runner" is highly prejudice and extremely discriminatory. It cannot be a solution to a problem in another country. Stop the problem at the roots, not the off shoots.

Sincerely

Levi Silveira
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Lew King
4502 Waterbird Ln
Garland, TX 75043
Well Ms. Terrell

I could go on and on and froth at the mouth about this and that and the next thing but I would bore you and me. So then, I am against this for numerous reasons, mainly, Who can trust a bureaucrat?, not I so NO REGISTRATION OF LONG GUNS. Stay out of the records as they said they would and control the border some other way.

Lew Wickman

3712 Inclination Drive

Baldwinsville NY 13027
Dear Barbara,
Why are you in Washington as wrong about rifles we use to hunt with.
Have you ever hunted dear elk or any thing?
My Dad always said "take a kid hunting you well never have to hunt the kid."
He all ways took his grand kid bird hunting. they lived for the day they could tagged along .
I hope you wake up some day.
TTYL Larry from Wyoming.

This regulation is both illegal and unnecessary. Further there is no justification for any "emergency" implementation as reported by the Washington Post:


* The regulation proposed is outside the statutory grant of authority to record information about multiple sales of firearms. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) specifically grants the authority to collect multiple sale information on handguns and revolvers. Other firearms are excluded and there is no implied authority to extend this reporting requirement to rifles or any other type of firearm.

* "FFL" holders are already required by law to respond to BATFE requests for information on firearms distribution pursuant to criminal investigations: Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(7).

* The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of information collected, which establishes a nationwide registry of "certain types of firearms" as proposed. Because of this the regulation as proposed is illegal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a). "No such rule or regulation may require that records required to be maintained under this chapter or any portion of the contents of such records, be recorded at or transferred to a facility owned, managed, or controlled by the United States or any State or any political subdivision thereof, nor that any system of registration of firearms, firearms owners, or firearms transactions or disposition be established."

There is a grave potential for this regulation to unduly burden citizens who are collectors or must obtain purchase permits at the local or state level to possess firearms. The proposed regulation does not say what the agency intends to do with the information but ostensibly it would be for criminal investigations. Subjecting law abiding gun owners to this type of investigation under the guise of "information collection" is an overt attempt to prevent them from exercising their 2nd Amendment rights to purchase and own firearms.

This regulatory action should not be approved.

LeWayne McGrew
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801-766-6797 Fax
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Are we to become the new Merchants of War and death. Is this going to become the legacy of the United States? With more than 30,000 people already murdered in cartel wars, this is an emergency that demands our government's immediate attention. The ATF's proposals are the least we can do, but it is a start. Get it done!

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From: lewis dempsey [lewisroy@netzero.net]
Sent: Friday, February 11, 2011 3:09 AM
To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: new rule

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Subject: More BATF Regulations

Barbara A. Terrell
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Dear Ms Terrell,

Will our Government never learn that the evil people of this world, those that ignore all rules and regulations, pay no heed whatsoever to edicts coming out of Washington, except perhaps to occasionally move their operations deeper underground.

I am indeed dismayed to read the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles”, to be enforced in the border states. It is simply more bureaucratic, paper pushing intended to make it appear that 'someone is doing something' and will have almost zero impact on illegal sales.

At a time when budget deficits are on everyone's mind and thousands of sincere people are working very hard to find ways to cut spending, BATF spends in its usual haphazard manner.

Why not spend the money on training; on upgraded, more sophisticated equipment - on added man hours devoted to enforcing existing regulations.

Why follow the same time tested, oft failed pattern of 'throwing money at it'. New regulations cost money, and they do not catch the bad guys - well trained agents on the ground with state-of-the-art equipment do.

Please get BATF out of our legislative halls and courtrooms, and back into the field where they belong.

America will appreciate you.

Sincerely yours,

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Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs

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Washington, DC 20503

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Ms. Terrell:

I would like to express serious objections to this proposed new rule which singles out the S.W. border states for another new and totally un-necessary reporting requirement. First this requirement is being imposed with a very thin rationale based on dubious reports of semi-automatic SPORTING rifles sold in the USA being smuggled to Mexican Cartels. Somehow these semi-automatics miraculously morph into the FULLY AUTOMATIC MACHINE GUNS favored by those cartels. This magical change is something which any military organization in the world would certainly profit from understanding! Secondly why would Mexican drug cartels choose to purchase firearms in the USA at full retail prices and then underwrite the costs of smuggling them across the border when foreign dealers offer exactly what they want, MACHINE GUNS, at bulk prices delivered directly into Mexico?

This rule represents another ATFD power grab, achieving through administrative process, what this administration could never get through our legislative process! I will be pressing my Congressional Representatives to investigate this rule making overstep and also look at ATFD's poor performance relative to border gun issues, performance versus budget (bang for our bucks), and a consideration of budgetary reductions as the 2011 budget is proposed. If you have personnel to devote to this witch hunt then you are most assuredly over funded!

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Dear ATF:

Notifying the ATF of the sale of two or more rifles is just de facto registration. The Feds don’t need to know what guns we buy. Mexico is not our problem.

Why does this apply only to 4 states?

This is just a back door way of taking away our gun rights.

Lisa Huffman
As a NRA member and a law abiding citizen I have to say that this ATF reporting act is taking things a bit too far.

We dont need more rules, lets just enforce the ones we have.
and do you think that outlaw types are getting guns lawfully?
I see the violence along the border, that stems from traffickers, so tying the hands of law abiding citizens and creating more red tape is the answer?
You must be a liberal, because it seems anytime more restriction come about, the liberals always go after good citizens rights.
I dont expect this to get read but I needed to state a fact.

I know that the ATF doesnt have an easy job, but you are appreciated

Larry Robertson
A law abiding NRA member
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Linda Putney
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Bennington, VT 05201
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John Rissel
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I back the NRA in blocking BATFE long gun sales reporting.
Thank You
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To: BATFE

I oppose the “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

This is an unnecessary regulation and is not allowed under Federal law. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) does not grant any such registration of multiple purchases of firearms, except for handguns.

The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of the collected information, and therefore is not legal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a).

Laws do matter and this unnecessary and extra-legal proposal must NOT be approved.

Sincerely,

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Barbara Terrel:

Regulations that preempt self preservation per the 2nd Amendment go too far. It's not a gray area. Go after the felons and not presume the innocent will become a felon. Over regulating does not have any effect on criminals. It costs taxpayers too much for nothing. This is the truth backed by FBI facts.

I am an honorably discharged vet. Married 40 years. Have 9 grandchildren and one on the way. I have been a NRA member for many years. I raised our two sons, both Eagle Scouts, and our daughter who earned the equivalent in our church Young Womens program. My wife and I taught them to be good citizens. Obey the laws. Get educated. Get a good job. Go to Church. Learn Spiritually. Raise their children with love. Gun safety, safe swimming, & safety in life were some of the practices we developed. Study our Government and Sovereign Constitution. We never assumed them to be guilty demanding they prove their innocence. That is too British. I mean Un-American.

I have had a gun since I was old enough & allowed to carry one with my father for target practice and hunting. The 2nd Amendment is our Sovereign right. It is not about hunting game for food. Your reaction to infringe on our standard American way of life leaves us with more tanglements for good citizens. We are innocent citizens in this great Country. Well regulated does not mean handicap the innocent and aid the criminals. Our citizens have too many taxes and programs that fail us. This is another such program.

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Please see attached.

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Attachments: Letter to OMB on ATF Illegal Effort To Demand Long Gun Sales Reporting.doc; ATT08298.htm

MB Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer
Washington, DC 20503

Re: The December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

I am writing as a private citizen in support of the National Rifle Association of America, Inc. (NRA), to concur with and forward their comments on this Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (ATF) information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). What follows in quotes below is an edited version of the letter from Christopher Cox of that organization.

“The notice proposed an "emergency" requirement that certain federal firearms licensees report multiple sales or other dispositions whenever the licensee sells or otherwise disposes of two or more rifles within any five consecutive business days with the following characteristics: (a) Semi automatic; (b) a caliber greater than .22; and (c) the ability to accept a detachable magazine.

Now, the OMB has denied the "emergency" request. But regardless of the timeframe in which approval is sought, ATF does not have the statutory authority to impose this requirement on licensees. Congress has comprehensively defined what ATF may and may not require with respect to licensees' records. By specifically requiring reports only of multiple handgun sales, Congress implicitly rejected the idea of requiring reports on multiple sales of other firearms. ATF seemed to understand that point when it responded in October to a recommendation for multiple long gun sales reporting by the Department of Justice Inspector General. ATF's comment on that recommendation was that it would "explore the full range of options" but that such a requirement "may require a change to the Gun Control Act."

These reports will be requested through "demand letters"—a mechanism that for many years had been used only to conduct firearm traces, to obtain aggregate manufacturing statistics, or to obtain contact information for buyers of certain firearms later declared to be subject to the National Firearms Act. Even when ATF began to use demand letters to seek a broader range of firearm transaction records, one court upholding that program cautioned that the demand letter statute is "not a limitless delegation of authority" and "cannot be construed in an open-ended fashion."
The scope of the proposed collection suggests in itself that the proposal exceeds ATF's statutory authority. The Fourth Circuit stressed that the letter at issue in the RSM case was sent to only 41 licensees out of the 80,000 licensees in the United States. A second type of demand letter was sent to only 450 dealers nationwide.

Now, ATF proposes to issue demand letters to approximately 8,500 licensees. That estimate appears to be based on the total number of licensed dealers and pawnbrokers in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. If so, nearly one out of seven firearm retailers in the United States would receive demand letters for multiple rifle sales.

The burden estimate in the proposal appears to assume that each licensee subject to a demand letter will respond once during the proposed duration of the program. Given the great variety in size and sales volume among the thousands of licensees in the border states, this seems unlikely. Even if the burden estimate in the proposal is correct, it is unclear how ATF could make effective use of the large number of reports that would be generated. Recent media reports suggest that ATF is already unable to handle dealers' voluntary, real-time reports of possible "straw purchases." If processing thousands of additional mandatory reports takes even more resources away from investigating these suspicious transactions, the proposed information collection may be more harmful than helpful.

The NRA is well aware that ATF would, understandably, like to take strong steps to address drug-related violence in Mexico. But lawlessness in Mexico—driven by multi-billion dollar drug cartels with access to any and all types of arms on the international black markets—is no excuse for U.S. law enforcement agencies to spend scarce resources on programs that exceed their legal powers.

Therefore, OMB should deny ATF's request to approve its proposed collection of information. “

Thank you

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This regulation is both illegal and unnecessary. Further there is no justification for any "emergency" implementation as reported by the Washington Post:

* The regulation proposed is outside the statutory grant of authority to record information about multiple sales of firearms. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) specifically grants the authority to collect multiple sale information on handguns and revolvers. Other firearms are excluded and there is no implied authority to extend this reporting requirement to rifles or any other type of firearm.

* "FFL" holders are already required by law to respond to BATFE requests for information on firearms distribution pursuant to criminal investigations: Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(7).

* The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of information collected, which establishes a nationwide registry of "certain types of firearms" as proposed. Because of this the regulation as proposed is illegal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a). "No such rule or regulation . may require that records required to be maintained under this chapter or any portion of the contents of such records, be recorded at or transferred to a facility owned, managed, or controlled by the United States or any State or any political subdivision thereof, nor that any system of registration of firearms, firearms owners, or firearms transactions or disposition be established."

There is a grave potential for this regulation to unduly burden citizens who are collectors or must obtain purchase permits at the local or state level to possess firearms. The proposed regulation does not say what the agency intends to do with the information but ostensibly it would be for criminal investigations. Subjecting law abiding gun owners to this type of investigation under the guise of "information collection" is an overt attempt to prevent them from exercising their 2nd Amendment rights to purchase and own firearms.

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Liz Johnson
1524 E174th Street
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Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs  
Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer  
Washington, D.C.

Re: December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

I strongly oppose the ATF's request to cause more than 8,000 legally licensed firearms retailers in the west/southwest to report multiple sales of firearms.

While I full understand the need to address drug-related violence, from/within Mexico. This proposal is not an answer. The millions, if not billions, of dollars that back illegal drug trafficking ensure access to firearms internationally. If necessary, the cartels could/would manufacture their weapons. This proposal will not solve the problem.

In addition, this proposal again puts stress on U.S. businesses already struggling to survive. Imposing yet another reporting requirement on businesses costs money, time and staff -- that simply aren't available.

The proposal also means yet another drain on law enforcement/government resources and increase in spending on paperwork -- time, money and staff pulled from addressing actual threats. With law enforcement entities struggling daily to keep up and having to release officers from duty because of a lack of funds, this proposal further complicates the ability of LE to keep pace.

I urge OMB to deny ATF's request to approve its proposed collection of information.

Sincerely,
Laurie Lee Dovey
American Citizen

cc:
Barbara A. Terrell
Firearms Industry Programs Branch
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives
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Lloyd Loring
19025 Oakmont South Drive
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Please OPPOSE the “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

This is an unnecessary regulation and is not allowed under Federal law. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) does not grant any such registration of multiple purchases of firearms, except for handguns.

The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of the collected information, and therefore is not legal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a).

Laws do matter and this unnecessary and extra-legal proposal must NOT be approved.

Sincerely,

Larry Riley
5631 Annenberg Ct.
Haymarket, Virginia
Ms. Terrell,

I support the emergency regulation to report multiple sales of certain rifles with BATFE as described in FR Doc. 201031761 from the 12/17/2010 Federal Register. This seems an obvious regulation to make - who would purchase that many firearms that fast unless they were intent on a) selling them again illegally, or b) staging a massacre.

Laura

"Motherhood = Feeling as though you are suddenly responsible for the security of the Mona Lisa"
Ms. Terrell

In reference to the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.

I stand against the reporting (quasi-registration) of long guns in border states. Very few long guns are used in criminal acts. While this action is only proposed for border states, the next step may be an attempt to record sales in other states including my own. This is registration in everything but name. I don't see grounds for this step on a rational nor constitutional basis. We need less government, not more.

Please record my comments among those opposing the proposed action.

Thank you.

Jerry Lobb
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Montgomery AL 36117
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Logan Cadorette
3722 27th pl W
Seattle, WA 98199
I have learned that BATF is trying to require dealers to report sales of Semi Auto weapons in our southern border states. I do not believe the BATF alone has the authority to do this and am opposed to it on two levels. First it is in conflict with current law and second it is a waste of money and effort. Also for what it is worth I don't see any reason for such a request to be any form of emergency. There has been a lot of media hype about guns from the U.S. being used by drug cartels in Mexico. The media then proceeds to show fully automatic weapons, hand grenades and rocket launchers as the items being used by the cartels and alleges they came from the U.S. As you well know I can't walk into a gun shop anywhere in this country and buy grenades or rocket launchers and I have to undergo a criminal background check, get my local Sheriff to sign off on it and pay a $200.00 Federal tax to buy an automatic weapon, the sale of which is recorded.

Just because the media says it doesn't make it true, and that goes for the current administration and the President of Mexico.

Thank you

J. Larry Lohr

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Lon Diffenderfer
510 W Main St
Thompsontown, PA 17094
To whom it may concern,

Regarding the following:

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms
and Explosives
[OMB Number 1140–NEW]
Agency Information Collection
Activities: Proposed Collection;
Comments Requested
ACTION: 60-Day Emergency Notice of
Information Collection Under Review:
Report of Multiple Sale or Other
Disposition of Certain Rifles.

It seems to me that there are more efficient ways to fight the war on drugs and illicit firearms than requiring this kind of reporting from firearm dealers. This kind of silliness does not carry well. It also seems to me that while citizens and dealers are required and expected to follow the rules, our agency’s in government, who ultimately work for and answer to the people, ought to do the same.

Respectfully,

Neill Goodfellow
Idaho
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Lopamudra Mohanty
15 Whippany Ave.
SAINT PETERS, MO 63376
Dear Ms. Terrell,

This letter is to express my opposition to the reporting of all sales of two or more semiautomatic rifles as refer to in the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles”. The ATF has no legal authority to request/demand this information!

Lora Skeens
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Loren Loberg
11464 Poema Pl.#203
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55419
Dear Miss Terrell

I will keep this short. I think the idea of wasting resources to report, register, or monitor the sale of legal firearms to legal U.S. citizens is ridiculous. We should instead focus on crippling the ability for criminals to move about as they please, not take away the privacy of United States Citizens. If the drug cartels couldn’t move the drugs, money, and firearms back and forth across the border as they please, the sales of firearms would not be an issue to begin with. If you leave a bank vault open, the criminal is gonna walk in and take what they want, then walk right back out. We need to lock the door, not see who took the money after it is already gone.

Thank you for your time and for your service,

Loren Shepherd

P.S. May God bless this nation.
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Loretta Vila-Henninger
17632 54th ave w
LYNNWOOD, WA 98037
Barbara,

With all due respect I believe this proposal seems very redundant and unnecessary and will only stress a system already in place to keep up with firearm purchases.

I also believe in our current economic climate this will ultimately add undue burden and costs on already stressed Federally licensed dealers, not to mention the additional cost to the taxpayers of the United States of America.

Best Regards,

George Denliker
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From: Lorraine Luoma [armlorraine@verizon.net]
Sent: Friday, February 11, 2011 11:37 PM
To: Terrell, Barbara A.
Subject: Support for the Reporting of Multiple Sales of Long Guns

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Lorraine Luoma
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MILL VALLEY, CA 94941
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Ladysmith, Virginia
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lou salerno
1515 Versailles Ave
ALAMEDA, CA 94501
Ladies and Gentlemen,

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The reason for this new attack on American gun rights is drug related Mexican violence. That's ridiculous. Most of the drug cartel weapons are fully automatic or "destructive devises" that are shipped directly into Mexican or other South American ports. Or acquired from Mexican Law Enforcement and Military. The trickle of straw purchase or stolen weapons going south is nothing compared to the flood of criminals, drugs, and really dangerous weapons coming north.

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Louis Carliner
17229 Benes Roush Rd
Masaryktown, FL 34604
Barbara,

This is in response to the December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review”. I do not believe this is going to accomplish what your intent is but will be enlarged to require a national registry of guns. This is not part of your rights as a regulatory agency. Quit stepping on our Second Amendment rights.

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Louis Gebs
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There is no need for this additional law/regulation. Enforce the ones that are currently in place instead.
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louisa lappin
1293 myrtle ave
brooklyn, NY 11221
Concerning the proposed regulation by ATF for four states to register sale of long guns. When congress set up the NICS background check program, I believe they specifically stated that ATF could not keep any list of registered guns, so this regulation would be illegal!

Jerome Glimm
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louise simrell
PO Box 888
HALEIWA, HI 96712
Dear Ms. Terrell,
As a former NRA member who lives in Tucson, AZ I think there should be a ban on magazines larger than 10 rounds except for National Guard, Armed Services and Law Enforcement. The gun show loophole can be closed by the requirement of a valid driver's license.

Sincerely,
Louis Hirsch Jr.
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Lowell Bushey
1630 NE Valley Road  Q101
Pullman, WA 99163
The ATF has no legal authority to demand these reports, and the flood of new paperwork will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations.

Lowell A.
please tell the atf to keep there nose out of our right to own what guns we want. you might also inform Obummer of the same thing.
lets stop the illegal gun ownership with the laws we have, don't punish honest Americans more than we are now.
as a NRA member I would, understandably, like to take strong steps to address drug related violence in Mexico. But lawlessness in Mexico, driven by multi-billion dollar drug cartels with access to any and all types of arms on the international black markets, is no excuse for U.S. law enforcement agencies to spend scarce resources on programs that exceed their legal powers.

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I sent this earlier and forgot to put my name and address on it. Thank you and have a nice day.
Barbara A. Terrell, Barbara.Terrell@atf.gov Firearms Industry Programs Branch, Fax (202) 648-9640, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, 99 New York Avenue, NE., Washington DC 20226

Re: Federal Register Notice of December 17, 2010 (Volume 75, Number 242, Page 79021), 60-Day Emergency Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles

Dear Ms Terrell,

I am writing to offer our comments on this Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (ATF) information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). The notice proposed an "emergency" requirement that certain federal firearms licensees report multiple sales or other dispositions whenever the licensee sells or otherwise disposes of two or more rifles within any five consecutive business days with the following characteristics: (a) Semi automatic; (b) a caliber greater than .22; and (c) the ability to accept a detachable magazine.

I understand in information I was able to obtain from the NRA-ILA. now, the OMB has denied the "emergency" request. But regardless of the timeframe in which approval is sought, I believe ATF does not have the statutory authority to impose this requirement on licensees.

The reasons for that lack of authority are fully explained by the NRA in a legal memorandum that they provided; but in short my understanding was that the Congress has comprehensively defined what ATF may and may not require with respect to licensees' records. By specifically requiring reports only of multiple handgun sales, Congress implicitly rejected the idea of requiring reports on multiple sales of other firearms. NRA explained quite clearly that the ATF seemed to understand that point when it responded in October to a recommendation for multiple long gun sales reporting by the Department of Justice Inspector General. ATF's comment on that recommendation was that it would "explore the full range of options" but that such a requirement "may require a change to the Gun Control Act."

These reports will be requested through "demand letters"—a mechanism that for many years had been used only to conduct firearm traces, to obtain aggregate manufacturing statistics, or to obtain contact information for buyers of certain firearms later declared to be subject to the National Firearms Act. Even when ATF began to use demand letters to seek a broader range of firearm transaction records, one court upholding that program cautioned that the demand letter statute "is not a limitless delegation of authority" and "cannot be construed in an open-ended fashion."

Now, ATF proposes to issue demand letters to approximately 8,500 licensees. According to the sources provided by the NRA that estimate appears to be based on the total number of licensed dealers and pawnbrokers in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. If so, nearly one out of seven firearm retailers in the United States would receive demand letters for multiple rifle sales.

The burden estimate in the proposal appears to assume that each licensee subject to a demand letter will respond once during the proposed duration of the program. Given the great variety
in size and sales volume among the thousands of licensees in the border states, this seems unlikely.

Even if the burden estimate in the proposal is correct, it is unclear how ATF could make effective use of the large number of reports that would be generated. Recent media reports suggest that ATF is under staffed and over burdened. If processing thousands of additional mandatory reports takes even more resources away from investigating needed actions, the proposed information collection may be more harmful than helpful.

Therefore, OMB should deny ATF's request to approve its proposed collection of information. If you have any questions about our comments, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Larry Taylor
I do not want to see ANY long gun or any other gun registry by any government in the USA...This is not the solution to the problem...Strict border enforcement is the solution... Thank you for your time..

C.L.McLeod
Durango, Co
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Lucia Mudd
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luciana moro
GLEBE AVE
Bronx, NY 10461
Dear Barbara Terrell,

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Luciana White
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JAMAICA PLAIN, MA 2130
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Sent from my iPhone
Obviously this government wants to model itself after others that see the control of fire arms as a necessity to control people. Coming from a country like that, I know firsthand, how it works. Government takes all private weapons away, then when government becomes tyrannical, people has the choices of dying at the hands of the regimes law institutions or go back to their little holes and “conform” to government arbitrary rules. Your political choices enable make a mock of our Constitution.
If you would like to feel what it is to live under repression for a month, I invite you to live (as the rest of the Cuban people; not as part of the “Elites”) in Cuba, and you will see how fast you let go of your utopia. It is not pretty or humanly acceptable.
Remember that a few selected have a good life in these regimes (I am sorry… who said that there are no “social classes” in Socialism and Communism??). Bet you differently.
Please, respect the US Constitution and enforce the laws against “Criminals”. There are enough of them written already. Our right to bear arms is guaranteed by our Second Amendment. The real criminals do not care or follow your precious laws and restrictions. The last people you have to worry is us, unless you know that what you are doing is illegal and unethical.
Very respectfully
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Thank you for your time,
Luke Holdcroft
Grass Valley, CA
Mrs. Terrell,

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As a taxpayer and firearms owner, I find it disconcerting that this type of legislation is being considered. I believe that implementation of such a program would be wasteful to Americans and burdensome on the people of the states affected. Worse would be the possibility of the setting of a precedent which may become a nation-wide requirement.

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Luke W. Klenke
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Luyster Ronald
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Attention MS. Terrell,

In response to the heading above and the problems on our border I can understand the concern in Washington. However I must say that those of us who live out west (especially those of us who live in areas where 911 calls response time can be in hours) in remote areas we learn how to take care of ourselves. We only ask for help in extreme circumstances. To survey people who buy firearms legally is simply a waste of time. I know that there are "string" purchases that occur by some, especially naturalized citizens from Mexico. But, if you look at Chicago and other cities that have banned guns it is easy to see that these types of restrictions generally only affect law abiding citizens and make it harder for them to defend themselves. That said I hope that you and the ATF will focus your resources in areas where they will accomplish the most good, like where the cartels are getting grenades and class III heavy weapons. (We know the answer to this don't we)?

I too took the oath to protect and defend the Constitution. Let's not forget, "We gave our word".

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The ATF has no legal authority to demand these reports, and the flood of new paperwork will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations.

Concerned American citizen Lyle Weiser, Mission Hills, CA
Ms Terrell

I am expressing opposition to the proposed rule changes, December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.” I am completely opposed to the proposed changes.

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Lynn Alger
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lynn beagle
38500 n lakeside pl
Antioch, IL 60002
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"...the cunning of the fox is as murderous as the violence of the wolf; and we ought to guard equally against both. Howe's first object is partly by threats and partly by promises, to terrify or seduce THE PEOPLE (caps added) to deliver up their arms and to receive mercy."
As a former USAF non-commissioned officer, I swore to uphold the Constitution of the United States, against all enemies foreign and domestic. I feel you could substitute BATFE in place of 'Howe', in this case. I object strongly.
Thankyou,
Donna McCardell
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Dear OMB:

Please OPPOSE the BATFE’s proposal to report multiple sale of certain rifles.

Please OPPOSE the “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

This is an unnecessary regulation and is not allowed under Federal law. Title 18 U.S.C. § 923(g)(3)(A) does not grant any such registration of multiple purchases of firearms, except for handguns.

The regulation contains no provision for the destruction of the collected information, and therefore is not legal under Title 18 U.S.C. § 926(a).

This unnecessary and extra-legal proposal should NOT be approved.

Sincerely,

Lynn Nichols
5484 Clearview Drive
North Charleston, SC 29420
Barbara,

I am a concerned citizen. I really don't think it is necessary for Americans to have ANY of their guns registered. This is a free country and I believe the 2nd Amendment is very clear regarding US CITIZENS being able to ARM THEMSELVES. I believe the federal government is involved in too much of our lives already.

Thank you for your time.

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Lynn Sutherland
4445 N Rockwell St
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I am against registering long guns by the federal government. It is just a step before collecting all our guns. Mexico’s drug lords don’t use big five or the corner gun shop to get their automatic weapons, they use the black market. The second amendment guarantees our un-infringed right to bear arms quit nibbling away on this right.
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Lynn Ziegler
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I strongly oppose the above referenced proposed action, i.e., to require the reporting of multiple long gun purchases/sales in the aforementioned four southwestern states. This is a bare faced attempt to contravene the intent of the founding fathers and the second amendment. If there is a legitimate concern about the sales of automatic weapons then your actions and requests must be more carefully crafted to restrict only the automatics and not infringe upon the rights of fair, law abiding hunters and recreational shooters who have an interest in a semi-automatic long guns.

I fear that the pressures brought to bear from the administration have induced the BATFE to move left of center in its attempts to 'safeguard' our people. It might be more cost effective to try to enforce the current laws and regs, rather than complicate things further for the law abiding majority of citizens and merchants.

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Lynne St.John
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The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives is demanding the authority to require all of the 8,500 firearm dealers in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas to report all sales of two or more semiautomatic rifles within five consecutive business days, if the rifles are larger than .22 caliber and use detachable magazines. For example, a dealer would have to tell the government every time a deer hunter in Sacramento or Amarillo finds a good deal on a pair of semi-auto .30-06s like the popular Remington 7400.

The ATF has no legal authority to demand these reports, and the flood of new paperwork will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations. Thank you.
Dear Ms Terrell,

You and I both know very well that the new scheme being proposed by the ATF and certain members of Congress and the Administration will have no meaningful impact on the flow of firearms to the drug cartels operating below our southern border. This proposed regulation would also appear to be in clear violation of a number of existing statutes, as I’m quite sure that you and your colleagues know full well. Further, it appears that the ATF has been engaged in a very dangerous, and as it turns out, lethal, game in regards to gun smuggling to the cartels. Project Gunrunner/Gunwalker has gone rogue, a la Iran/Contra, and the cover-up has only just begun. From my perspective, it’s looking more and more like the ATF is not only dangerously inept but may well prove to be accessories to the murder of CPB Agent Brian Terry and God knows how many others. The ATF really needs to get its house in order and if any of the allegations prove to be true, may God have mercy on the souls of those involved and may justice be served.

Sincerely,

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February 12, 2011

OMB
Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
Department of Justice Desk Officer
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Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer

Reference: December 17, 2010 “Notice of Information Collection Under Review: Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Certain Rifles.”

I am so concerned about The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives demands to report multiple sale of certain rifles. This flood of new paperwork will waste scarce law enforcement resources that should be spent on legitimate investigations. When will Government stop spending my tax dollars and stop controlling the American People

Regards,
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