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I wasn't...my dad was a hunter, but we...he was never into handguns, nor was my mother. My husband isn't. We're just not anyone who was concerned about needing guns around houses. And so I've listened to people, I heard from people, and like a lot of you that we've talked off the mike, there are people who have talked to me about this that, quite frankly, are pretty scary and very angry, very angry people. And when the sheriff and the chiefs met with me, when I first got elected, to talk to me about this, they had (laugh) some real concerns administratively about how they were going to handle those situations with those kind of people coming forward that had histories in their community, and how they were going to make an assurance of safety to the public. And the State Patrol is in exactly the same boat. I want them to have every resource at their fingertips (laugh) to be able to make sure that when they issue these handguns they aren't issuing it to people who have some stability issues that have been found as fact in other states, have been committed in terms of their mental health issues in other states. I want them to have the money and the resources to assure the rest of us that these are people that should be carrying these guns and that they...we aren't going to get sued as a state because they didn't have the resources in their department to make that search of records in other states dealing with these issues. And if it costs us a lot, you know, I realize you have constituents who are pushing because they really want to carry guns around. Well, fine, but let's at least make sure that the rest of us are safe and that you don't put people in situations with folks who shouldn't be carrying, and that it's recorded information somewhere. They need to make that a serious check. I don't want it skimmed out on because we didn't give them the adequate money to be able to do that. So hopefully we can adopt this amendment and make sure that the Patrol, administratively, has the people who can make those calls to the other states, make sure they're getting all those records that need to be in place, make sure that we aren't letting people slip through the cracks that are going to be carrying guns hidden in our communities. At least we should get this much done on this bill. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Thompson. (Visitors introduced.) On with discussion, motion to return. Senator