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Less than four years ago, Washington State billionaires and out-of-state gun control groups dumped more than \$10 million into the campaign to pass Washington Initiative 594, which criminalized the private sale/transfer of firearms, even between family and friends. Now, the same anti-gun elites are spending big bucks to pass Washington Initiative 1639—an even more restrictive gun control ballot measure.

INITIATIVE 1639 IS THE LATEST AND MOST COMPREHENSIVE ATTEMPT TO RESTRICT THE RIGHTS OF WASHINGTON'S LAW-ABIDING GUN OWNERS!

Gun control advocates and the media want you to believe that I-1639 would simply prohibit the sale of so-called “assault weapons” to young adults aged 18 to 20. But the TRUTH is, I-1639 is a wide-ranging initiative that would impose significant new requirements on Washington’s law-abiding gun owners, regulating everything from how you store your firearms in your own home to placing severe restrictions on every law-abiding citizen who owns or purchases any semi-automatic rifle.

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I-1639 DEFINES ALL SEMI-AUTOMATIC RIFLES AS "ASSAULT RIFLES"

Initiative 1639 creates an exceedingly broad definition of "semi-automatic assault rifle" that will include all semi-automatic rifles, even popular .22 caliber rimfires like the Ruger 10-22, Remington 597, and Marlin 60, setting the stage for future restrictions.



I-1639 WOULD NOT IMPACT CRIME OR STOP CRIMINALS

I-1639 would have little to no impact on violent crime. Handguns—not semi-automatic rifles—are used in the majority of crimes committed with a firearm in Washington; semi-automatic rifles only account for a small percentage. Criminals, by definition, do not follow the law. They will continue to acquire firearms where they do now—the black market, straw purchase, theft, and illicit sources.



I-1639 WOULD ONLY AFFECT LAW-ABIDING GUN OWNERS

I-1639 would only make it tougher for law-abiding citizens to obtain a commonly-owned semi-automatic rifle for self-defense and would do nothing to deter criminals.



I-1639 WOULD REQUIRE GUN OWNERS TO LOCK UP THEIR FIREARMS OR FACE CRIMINAL CHARGES

I-1639 creates a new "safe storage" crime which imposes criminal liability for a new offense of "community endangerment" if a prohibited person gains access to a firearm, even through theft.



I-1639 STRIPS ADULTS AGED 18 TO 20 OF THEIR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO SELF-DEFENSE

Currently, adults aged 18 to 20 are prohibited from purchasing or receiving a handgun. I-1639 would expand the current law by prohibiting such law-abiding young adults from purchasing or receiving any semi-automatic rifle.



I-1639 IMPOSES A \$25 GUN TAX ON EACH SEMI-AUTOMATIC RIFLE SALE/TRANSFER



I-1639 IMPOSES NEW WAITING PERIODS AND TRAINING REQUIREMENTS



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