

Phyllis Chinlund
Brunswick
LD 2086

To: Senator Carney, Representative Cloutier, and the Maine State Judiciary
Committee

Re: LD 2086

My name is Phyllis Chinlund. I am a resident of Brunswick, and a member of the Thornton Oaks Social Justice Group. I am writing to urge support of LD 2086. As I approach my 85th birthday, I look way back to the aftermath of WWII, when an uncle returned with one leg missing. When he showed me the stump, it seared in my memory that weapons of war are terrifying. It is incomprehensible why they would be allowed in Maine. This bill will cover much of the ground that leaves us vulnerable to people who convert their guns into machine guns. Short of actually banning assault weapons, you will have at least done something for the common safety, present and future, of our citizens. Thank you!