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Certain gun manufacturers and 3-D printer technology has made it too easy to put together a firearm without a serial number. Anyone looking to avoid a firearm or firearm product from being traced through a serial number is up to no good. We must assist our officers in their ability to trace firearms. The increase of these unserialized products is frightening. The access that young children and teens have is also frightening. We need strong regulations so that these unserialized products are held to the same standards as all other guns in Maine (Factsheet: Unserialized Firearms in Maine, Giffords Law Center To Prevent Gun Violence).

Help our law enforcement in their efforts to do their job investigating firearms and keeping our citizens, especially our youth, safe **by supporting LD 1126.**

Thank you for your time and thoughtful consideration of LD 1126 in your efforts to ensure the safety of all people in Maine.

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