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Senator Carney, Representative Kuh, and Members of the Committee,

I am writing this testimony in support of LD 1126, An Act Requiring Serial Numbers on Firearms and Prohibiting Undetectable Firearms.

Some firearms fall through the cracks which interferes with law enforcement's ability to solve crimes and keep the public safe. These include home-made/hone finished weapons which do not need to be serialized in Maine.

They have become a leading source of weapons for people who want to conceal their unlawful activity, engage in gun trafficking and avoid criminal background checks. They are accessible to people who would not be legally able to obtain a gun. They are increasingly showing up in Maine.

Firearm serialization will ensure that this doesn't happen. Please support LD 1126.