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Dear Committee members,

I am writing in opposition to LD 976.

A federal circuit court of appeals has just recently overturned the ATF classification of bump stocks as machine guns. This piece of equipment has been used a total of one time in a mass shooting. It is a novelty item and is in no way a threat to the general public. The State of Maine should not presume to know better than a federal appeals court in this matter. A piece of plastic cannot and should not be classified as a machine gun. The very idea is ludicrous in the extreme. I urge you to reject this bill quickly.

Respectfully,  
Jerome Watson