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<http://www.inetres.com/gp/military/infantry/mg/M2.html>

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To: Property Rights and Freedom Movement, Washington State House, Senate, Washington State Supreme Court, King County Sheriff Office, Association of

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I am responding to an old Montana friend and engineering colleague of some 50 years.

Here is an extract of his email below.

"And I think gun control is needed. You can't have everyone running around with a 50 caliber machine gun. It only makes sense. Now the prevailing theory is that any limitations on guns will lead to the eventual banning of private owning of firearms. Of course this is a matter of opinion and we (me and the NRA) will never agree on this." To better "make sense" of this "common sense", it is imperative to do a "background check" against history.

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In some 5 years of study re. why we have lost our unalienable rights in America I have noticed the following:

- Without a historical chronology of the takings one is blind to see them
- The progressive positivism movement over 233 years and 7+ generations has wiped out what we fought for
- All of the takings have occurred by looking at what currently "makes sense", i.e. "common sense"

In order to "make sense" out of my colleague's "rational and logical" concerns, we must start at the "beginning"

- Rights are frequently "coverted" to privileges based on personal "make sense" concerns
  - Especially when a profile of "public and individual safety" is created
- "Everything makes sense" when the founding and fundamental laws are ignored
- Everything "makes sense" when you try to protect people from themselves

Majorities and minorities "make sense" to many Americans but they have forgotten this goes against the founding charters

- We have a Republic which protects individual rights
- The several states also agreed to a militia with NO standing armies
- Now we have a world wide standing army threatening any country that does not comply to "democracy"
- "Democracy" was never chartered in America
- Worst of all we have no militia to protect the natural born state Citizens.
- Thus our traditional way of life has been completely and illegitimately taken down
- i.e. standing armies own the 50 caliber machine guns, tanks, and cannons and the nukes
- While the natural born fight to keep their small arms, their private property, their jobs and thier lives

The euphemism to "protect" or make me "safe" from myself or my neighbor is another myth

- Thus the churches got between the individual and their personal God for profit and power
- Thus the government got between you and your God given birth rights
- Thus it is easier to extract your neighbor property through the process of gradualism
- Because it is all done on the same theme of "security" and "making sense"
- Thus the American progressive police state of today
- It all "makes sense" to hire a state police force to protect youself from yourself

Human belief systems are not unlike government systems, they are created out of

what "makes sense" to them.

- It could be a self imposed "safety and security" issue of ones self and community.
- While I certainly respect the concern a crazed person is going to mount his 50 caliber on the back of his truck and go through town annihilating a community.....
- This can easily happen numerous other ways
- There is no limit to man's genius in killing his own kind
- You remove or limit all of the weapons in the world and man will find another way to do it in short order.

If Americans arm themselves to the teeth with automatic weapons, cannons and tanks that is called a militia.

- A militia is called for directly and indirectly by the both the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence
- No standing army was allowed in the original charter because they well know how the British occupied their very homes and cities.
- The British came after the colonial ammo dumps in the rural areas and that is exactly what started the revolution.
- Lexington and Concord rural farmers threw the British and Hessians back
- The cannons and ammo were hidden on the rural farming lands
- They were well networked to respond to the growing British tyranny
- Contrast that to today where we now legislate, judicate and admistrate "crime" before it happens because it "makes sense"

General Howe's army of 30,000 men started to arrive at Staten Island July 1776.

- General Washington had 20,000 men at the most which quickly dropped to 2000 over the course of the battles.
- There were 94 battles, 62 troop movements
- And 33 Acts of British Parliament before General Washington pulled off uncountable miracles
- He was called a "cat with nine lives" by the British General Howe
- It was the rural farmers and the militias and General Washington that made America free
- i.e. there was no standing american army because the British were standing on us, sound familiar?

In a militia I am watching your back side and will take a bullet for you and you visa-versa because we are friends.

- Standing armies are not protecting you and me, their allegiance is to national and foreign corporations
- They are in fact disarming US, e.g. cuffing you and I with tie wraps, i.e. New Orleans.
- 50 caliber machine guns, cannons, tanks, et al under local militias are safer than the police state we have devolved into.
- Per your comments "..don't buy that argument and say "This is NEVER going to happen either" then .....
- **WHY ARE THERE SOME 20,000 REGULATIONS ON ONLY THE RIGHT TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS?**
  - <http://www.alltheinternet.com/texis/open/alltb?q=%32%30%2C%30%30%30%20regulations%20on%20the%20right%20to%20own%20and%20bear%20arms%20%32nd%20amendment>
- Municipal corporations can ONLY regulate their employees
- I am NOT an employee of the government NOR ARE YOU
- You cannot regulate natural born state Citizens, they are free agents
- Governments and municipal corporations have NO rights

- Nor can they be "legislated", "judicated" or "administrate" to take any of our rights
- Governments have only privileges which we grant to regulate themselves NOT the natural born state Citizens.
- Do you see how the very foundational cornerstones of America and the natural laws are upside down and backwards?
- What "makes sense" to you or me, has NO bearing on a natural born free state Citizen who is a free agent
- The very act of trying to "make sense" of what I may do or not do with my private property, is a taking and taxing in itself

The natural born in America have NO protection or security because of this "makes sense" attitude.

- The 50 caliber that you think is going to be used against you by some mad man is much less probable
  - Than your own army pulling up one day, making you & your community the next Ruby Ridge" public atrocity
  - The myth is created that your government will protect you
  - Yet they will not take a bullet for you, like me or your neighbors in Superior Montana
  - Soldiers are state employees and are trained do what they are told
    - i.e. take all of your private and public property in a New York minute
    - Including your weapons, your wages, your home, land, equipment, animals, job, assets, children, etc.

Firearms rank #6 in 2003 for kids deaths and #7 for total fatal deaths. The ranking of deaths from the most to the least is 1. motor vehicles, drownings, fires, mechanical suffocations, injestion of food, objects and last firearms for kids deaths. For total fatal deaths its 1. motor vehicle, falls, poisonings, drownings,

fires, choking and finally firearms. Firearms are a non problem. Getting up in the morning and commuting into work should be your major worry if you were not retired. I go into Seattle all too often to see my ophthalmologist and each time I go I take my life in my hands. Congestion is created by this idiotic Sustaining "Death" agenda of the UN and city mayors. Its all about money.

The Founding Fathers well knew the future potentials of governments going "postal" over their own people. The Federalist knew it too, yet they had a different agenda along because they were the urban power who had the wealth and control to manipulate the illegitimate "constitutional convention" which was neither approved by the people nor could most of the people even qualify to vote. The anti Federalist were prophetic.

The early Americans were dangerous to the Brits and they knew it.

- The early Americans had a grip on the law AND their ALL their weapons at the same time
- General Washington won the battle but intentionally lost the war because he choose too
- Government does not protect you at all, it was chartered to protect your rights but didn't do that.
- It was chartered to protect commerce but didn't do that.
- It was warned to not directly tax the several states, but it did not do that.
- It was chartered to create three branches creating a "separation of powers" but didn't do that, thanks to the lawyers.
- It was chartered to not touch the natural born but it did not do that.
- It was chartered to stay in a 10 mile square box but never did that.
- The central union was chartered to stay out of the several states business but it didn't do that.
- It was chartered to NOT become entangled in foreign affairs but it didn't do that.
- It was told to include the Bill of Rights up front in the original writing but

didn't do that.

- It was told to not allow slavery but it didn't do that.
- It was warned to not shove the new central government plans through so quickly and it didn't do that.

Again it is all upside down and backwards. It is the natural born state Citizens who must have all the weapons and ammo dumps in well organized militias to keep the dark forces of government at their mercy. When the government fears the people you have a republic. When the people fear the government, you have a democracy. This is the current state in America..

1. Here are YOUR God given Natural Rights -

<http://www.freedomforallseasons.org/NaturalLawAndNaturalRights.dwt.asp>

2. Here are YOUR God given Unalienable Rights -

<http://www.freedomforallseasons.org/UnalienableRightsNew.dwt.asp>

3. Here is only one of the uncountable takings of private property in America

- The entire tax taking system in America goes against all the founding, fundamental and natural laws.
- Check it out here -

<http://www.freedomforallseasons.org/FreedomFromTaxesNew.dwt.asp>

4. Here is the pecking order of Power in America, which form of government do you want?

Priority	Majority Rule Democracy	Constitutional Republic
1	Global Elite	Creator
2	Majority	Individual
3	Government	Constitution
4	Public Servants	Government
5	Case & Statute Law	Public Servants
6	Corporations	Statute Law
7	Individual	Corporations

	Citizen of the "United States"	Alien
Resident	A resident federal citizen living in the Federal Zone - e.g. a federal employee living in D.C. or anyone of the U.S. territories or on a military base	Resident alien living in a Federal Zone - e.g. non federal state Citizen living on a military base, D.C. or anyone of the U.S. territories
Nonresident	A federal citizen living in a non Federal Zone - e.g. a federal employee living in a sovereign state	<b>A natural born free &amp; sovereign state Citizen living in one of the several sovereign states</b>

<http://www.supremelaw.org/>

4. The natural born are not only just sovereign and free agents, there is no other power above them other than your creator
5. Governments, private and public corporations are **ONLY ARTIFICIAL LEGAL FICTION** paper bodies, i.e. straw men
  - NO ONE can rule over you or take anything from you UNLESS it is done by consent or force
  - Artificial bodies are NOT natural because they are NOT created by God.
  - The only power they have over you is through the use of force and tyranny.
  - The independence of the several Commonwealths and Republics was completely usurped by the "CONstitutional CONventions".
  - What the vast majority wanted and what they got was diabolically different

6. It is a delusion that governments protects us while at the same time, they in fact destroy us.

- The 1900's was the bloodiest century in history because of "government".
- America has become one of the richest countries in the world NOT because of our "government" but despite it.
- Governments even so called first world types are extremely primitive and outdated
- "Anarchy" is another creation of fear by the pro government dark side
- We already have anarchy
- Did you ever watch Rod Sterlings, "To Serve Humanity"?

8. Governments are corporations for the most part

- Even the unincorporated governments are artificial bodies
- Artificial bodies have NO founding, fundamental or natural power over anyone but themselves, i.e. government employees.
- So called "majorities" and "minorities" and "special interests" have NO power over the natural born
- "Democracy" does NOT work, they never did.
- "Republics" do NOT work either as it turns out, i.e. the first experiment failed
- Nor has any other form of new world or old world government "worked", yet.
- People have been hypnotized into believing they need "governments" for security
- "Security" to government and the nongovernment groups means ..... THEIR security NOT YOURS
- To believe you are free and turn around and ask for a government handout is the ultimate oxymoron

9 You cannot NOR do you want to control any man or women by the use of force or tyranny, e.g. socialism or democracy, et al

- Whether it is with legal fiction ", "majorities" or "minorities".
- Whether it is for you own safety or mine
- Legalese is created by the urban class via their Bar associations for their profit and power ONLY.
- Their were many American lawyers trained in Britain during the struggle for American independence
- However there was an agenda among most of the so called Founding Fathers
- These were for the most part prominent land owners, merchants, bankers, lawyers, business owners, i.e. urban types
- Let's call them the "Creditor Class"
- Then there was the farmers, poor, et al, lets call them the "Debtor Class"

10. An example of this "remote" elite tyranny would be exactly what has happen to Montana and your home town, Superior.

- Elite eastern and European power groups via the UN decided they want to park out your private and public property
  - For their very own wilderness and playground
- This simple green theme has many financial advantages to the dark and green power groups
- They would in turn corner the American resource markets
- Thereby control the prices of these abundant and natural resources
- Furthermore,they could create artificial sources of uneconomical green sources of energy
  - Which their political & corporate media cronies would help sell.
- You had no say, your state government had little say, it was all taken at the multinational & global levels
- Governments and elections are all a shell game creating an illusion you are

making a personal free choice.

11. The 13 several Commonwealths and Republics well knew the risk of giving up "some" of their power to a union of states

- The Federalists, i.e. the bankers, merchants, lawyers (British educated) had other plans to charter a "government" for their profit & power.
- The Anti-Federalist, i.e. the farmers, non property owning males, their women, the indentured white slaves and the black slaves had no say
- The creditors were behind a central government because they could better extract their debts from the poorer class, e.g. farmers
- The Federalist could orchestrate more legal fiction extremes to punish the Debtor Class
- This the bottom line and hard truth whereby vast takings were staged early in our American history
- This is the birth in this country of the urban and rural classes

12. It is a myth, illusion and delusion that you can touch any free agent without their express permission

- AND that means you cannot coerce or deceive them into relenting or submitting
- Not even to keep you "safe" and "secure"
- You cannot tell a free agent what to wear, what to carry, how to build their house, maintain their land and life.
- Any unwanted and unconsented touching of another's property or taking or restriction is rape and illegitimate taxing
- Personal property "touching" ultimately destroys every tradition in your life, your home land and all you love about life itself.
- It is not a crime to own your personal tank, cannon, 50 caliber nor more than it is to own your own home and land.

- A crime does exist until there is a physical injury.
- Creating legislation, judication & administration based on what "makes sense"
  - is an open license to steal whatever you want from a man property.
  - is exactly what we have in America today
  - this is what the MAD mothers have done by creating a crime in your blood chemistry before the crime
  - All on the premise that it "makes sense" to keep you and me safe

13. Lysander Spooner was one of the first enlighten souls who exposed this inbreed design of taking from A and giving to B in America.

- He is a legend in the freedom movement yet he did not have enough money to pay for his own tomb stone
- Such is the humility of the freedom of man which is in stark contrast to the utter egoistic taking for power, profit and greed.

14. Thus the last election whereby McCain who was also not a natural born and did not qualify to run by the governments own by laws.

- He may not even be naturalized.
- John McCain was a war hero, no doubt, but he is not a natural born
- This was a very intentional distinction created by the Constitutional charter for government offices
- The colonist hated the British and knew well what the foreign powers could do to them
- John McCain may also be an illegal alien, if he never was naturalized
- Yet he was a war hero and a Senator
- How bazaar is that

15. Obama is definitely an illegal alien, not naturalized and not an American citizen even though he was a Senator also.

- The Hawaii Certificate of Live Birth was freely given out to anyone bringing in a kid that wants a government label.
- A Certificate of Live Birth is NOT an American Birth Certificate.
- This is how they manipulate the public with semantic swindling legalese.
- Yet Obama is now the "President" of the Unites States municipal corporation
- And he too was an ex "Senator"
- Do you see the comparative similarity between Obama and McCain, i.e. there is none.
- This should be a very red flag to you
- By incorporating the government they have undermined the founding, fundamental and natural laws.
- Corporations are not bound to God, they write their own by-laws
- Thus DeFacto Law or colored law and DeJure Law.

16. Americans have NO government in any sense of the meaning

- The naive' concept that we have representative form of government is outrageous
  - Just on a statistical level alone, the idea you can somehow "represent" 310 million people with 535 is laughable
  - We have 6.2 million some in the State of Washington
    - with 149 some district "Representatives" and "Senators"
    - and 9 congressional US Reps
    - So we have about 155 people saying they represent 6 million
    - That's near 39,000 per person
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- i.e. NO ONE is represent but the political parties and the special interests
  - The concept that an individual natural born who is sovereign and free can be represented is also an oxymoron
  - The Bill of Rights AND the Declaration of Independence are in great conflict with the Constitution
  - The Federal government is in great conflict with the several states
  - City, county, state & federal governments are in extreme conflict with the natural born state Citizens
- The system at the time prevented the will of the people to be expressed, not unlike current situation
  - A so called "Constitutional Republic" used illegitimate democratic & demographic gerrymandering ...
    - Whereby it was impossible to have a "majority"
    - i.e. the majority could not vote
    - The people nor their appointed legislative bodies did not vote on an new form of a strong central government
    - All evidence shows the majority of the people did not want a central government
      - Nor even a limited central government
      - And certainly not a strong central government
      - And certainly not a oppressive central controlling federal court system over the several states
      - And certainly not an oppressive central monetary system
    - In fact, the several states refused to give a unanimous vote for this pro central government taking
      - They were only able to obtain 9 yeas of the 13 Republics and Commonwealths
      - Many of the "delegates" who did come forward from the several states well knew the subversion going on

- Some walked out of the "conventions" in disgust
- The current "Constitutional democracy" form of American government was never authorized.
- It was orchestrated by an elite minority of special interests for themselves
- It was an urban class power play
- It still works well today because of the same illegitimate techniques

Did you know that Rod Sterling was not allowed to include his political beliefs into his stories

- so he created the series "Twilight Zone" to "fictionalize" his beliefs
- so Hollywood, the media and the public would better receive what some thought was not appropriate
- Only those with eyes for the hard truth will see it

Jack

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----- Original Message -----

**From:** Guy

**To:** [Jack Venrick](#)

**Sent:** Saturday, May 09, 2009 7:03 AM

**Subject:** Re: Fw: Montana Governor Signs New Gun Law (Montana Is Free!)

Jack

I like the idea that the State of Montana is taking on the Feds by passing laws that take control of our own destiny. They have done this before. It remains to see if this will hold up (in court) or not.

However I would add a couple of caveats to this. First of all I do not agree with the statements concerning MT succeeding from the USA. I make statements like this myself but of course this is NEVER going to happen. So why bother to even say it.

And I think gun control is needed. You can't have everyone running around with a 50 caliber machine gun. It only makes sense. Now the prevailing theory is that any limitations on guns will lead to the eventual banning of private owning of firearms. I just don't buy that argument. This is NEVER going to happen either. Of course this is a matter of opinion and we (me and the NRA) will never agree on this.

And the use of a silencer?? I have been around guns all my life. As a matter of fact I go out in the woods with people who shoot hundreds of rounds at trees and rocks, and have been around hunters all my life. And I have NEVER seen anyone using a silencer yet. People like the noise, that's why they shoot the damn things. This is pure BS to me.

Oh well, differences of opinion are what make the world go round. But the state taking on the feds, I love it. If they would only tell the FS to f\_\_ off and take back the forests then I would really be happy.

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On 5/8/2009, "Jack Venrick" <[jacksranch@skynetbb.com](mailto:jacksranch@skynetbb.com)> wrote:

>Guy - this is good news

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>Jack

>----- Original Message -----

>From: DANIEL BIHARY

>To: D B

>Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2009 11:51 AM

>Subject: Montana Governor Signs New Gun Law (Montana Is Free!)

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>I Wish I Could Move To Montana!

>Signed into Law on April 15, 2009. Talk about thumbing their nose at the Obama federal government, and signed into law by a Democratic Governor. HA! I just wish governor Gargoyle had the stones to do this!

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> Subject: HB246 Montana Firearms Freedom Act <http://www.gather.com/viewArticle.jsp?articleId=281474977674743>

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> Montana Governor Signs New Gun Law

> Executive Summary - The USA state of Montana has signed into power a revolutionary gun law. I mean REVOLUTIONARY. The State of Montana has defied the federal government and their gun laws. This will prompt a showdown between the federal government and the State of Montana . The federal government fears citizens owning guns. They try to curtail what types of guns they can own. The gun control laws all have one common goal - confiscation of privately owned firearms.

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> Montana has gone beyond drawing a line in the sand. They have challenged the Federal Government. The fed now either takes them on and risks them saying the federal agents have no right to violate their state gun laws and arrest the federal agents that try to enforce the federal firearms acts. This will be a world-class event to watch.Montana could go to voting for secession from the union, which is really throwing the gauntlet in Obama's face. If the federal government does nothing they lose face. Gotta love it.

> Important Points - If guns and ammunition are manufactured inside the State of Montana for sale and use inside that state then the federal firearms laws have no applicability since the federal government only has the power to control commerce across state lines. Montana has the law on their side. Since when did the USA start following their own laws especially the constitution of the USA , the very document that empowers the USA .

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> Silencers made in Montana and sol in Montana would be fully legal and not registered. As a note silencers were first used before the 007 movies as a device to enable one to hunt without disturbing neighbors and scaring game. They were also useful as devices to control noise when practicing so as to not disturb the neighbors. Silencers work best with a bolt-action rifle. There is a long barrel and the chamber is closed tight so as to direct all the gases though the silencer at the tip of the barrel. Semi-auto pistols and revolvers do not really muffle the

sound very well except on the silver screen. The revolvers bleed gas out with the sound all over the place. The semi-auto pistols bleed the gases out when the slide recoils back.

> Silencers are maybe nice for snipers picking off enemy soldiers even though they reduce velocity but not very practical for hit men shooting pistols in crowded places. Silencers were useful tools for gun enthusiasts and hunters. There would be no firearm registration, serial numbers, criminal records check, waiting periods or paperwork required. So in a short period of time there would be millions and millions of unregistered untraceable guns in Montana .... Way to go Montana !

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> Discussion - Let us see what Obama does. If he hits Montana hard they will probably vote to secede from the USA . The governor of Texas has already been refusing Federal money because he does not want to agree to the conditions that go with it and he has been saying secession is a right they have as sort of a threat. Things are no longer the same with the USA . Do not be deceived by Obama acting as if all is the same, it is not.

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> Text of the New Law

> HOUSE BILL NO. 246

> INTRODUCED BY J. BONIEK, BENNETT, BUTCHER, CURTISS, RANDALL, WARBURTON

> AN ACT EXEMPTING FROM FEDERAL REGULATION UNDER THE COMMERCE CLAUSE OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES A FIREARM, A FIREARM ACCESSORY, OR AMMUNITION MANUFACTURED AND RETAINED IN MONTANA ; AND PROVIDING AN APPLICABILITY DATE.

> BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA :

> Section 1. Short title. [Sections 1 through 6] may be cited as the "Montana Firearms Freedom Act".

> Section 2. Legislative declarations of authority. The legislature declares that the authority for [sections 1 through 6] is the following:

> (1) The 10th amendment to the United States constitution guarantees to the states and their people all powers not granted to the federal government elsewhere in the constitution and reserves to the state and people of Montana certain powers as they were understood at the time that Montana was admitted to statehood in 1889. The guaranty of those powers is a matter of contract between the state and people of Montana and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Montana and the United States in 1889.

- > (2) The ninth amendment to the United States constitution guarantees to the people rights not granted in the constitution and reserves to the people of Montana certain rights, as they were understood at the time that Montana was admitted to statehood in 1889. The guaranty of those rights is a matter of contract between the state and people of Montana and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Montana and the United States in 1889.
- > (3) The regulation of intrastate commerce is vested in the states under the 9th and 10th amendments to the United States constitution, particularly if not expressly preempted by federal law. Congress has not expressly preempted state regulation of intrastate commerce pertaining to the manufacture on an intrastate basis of firearms, firearms accessories, and ammunition.
- > (4) The second amendment to the United States constitution reserves to the people the right to keep and bear arms as that right was understood at the time that Montana was admitted to statehood in 1889, and the guaranty of the right is a matter of contract between the state and people of Montana and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Montana and the United States in 1889.
- > (5) Article II, section 12, of the Montana constitution clearly secures to Montana citizens, and prohibits government interference with, the right of individual Montana citizens to keep and bear arms. This constitutional protection is unchanged from the 1889 Montana constitution, which was approved by congress and the people of Montana , and the right exists, as it was understood at the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Montana and the United States in 1889.
- > Section 3. Definitions. As used in [sections 1 through 6], the following definitions apply:
  - > (1) "Borders of Montana " means the boundaries of Montana described in Article I, section 1, of the 1889 Montana constitution.
  - > (2) "Firearms accessories" means items that are used in conjunction with or mounted upon a firearm but are not essential to the basic function of a firearm, including but not limited to telescopic or laser sights, magazines, flash or sound suppressors, folding or aftermarket stocks and grips, speedloaders, ammunition carriers, and lights for target illumination.
  - > (3) "Generic and insignificant parts" includes but is not limited to springs, screws, nuts, and pins..
  - > (4) "Manufactured" means that a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition has been created from basic materials for functional usefulness, including but not limited to forging, casting, machining, or other processes for working materials.

> Section 4. Prohibitions. A personal firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition that is manufactured commercially or privately in Montana and that remains within the borders of Montana is not subject to federal law or federal regulation, including registration, under the authority of congress to regulate interstate commerce. It is declared by the legislature that those items have not traveled in interstate commerce. This section applies to a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition that is manufactured in Montana from basic materials and that can be manufactured without the inclusion of any significant parts imported from another state. Generic and insignificant parts that have other manufacturing or consumer product applications are not firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition, and their importation into Montana and incorporation into a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition manufactured in Montana does not subject the firearm, firearm accessory, or ammunition to federal regulation. It is declared by the legislature that basic materials, such as unmachined steel and unshaped wood, are not firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition and are not subject to congressional authority to regulate firearms, firearms accessories, and ammunition under interstate commerce as if they were actually firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition. The authority of congress to regulate interstate commerce in basic materials does not include authority to regulate firearms, firearms accessories, and ammunition made in Montana from those materials. Firearms accessories that are imported into Montana from another state and that are subject to federal regulation as being in interstate commerce do not subject a firearm to federal regulation under interstate commerce because they are attached to or used in conjunction with a firearm in Montana .

> Section 5. Exceptions. [Section 4] does not apply to:

> (1) A firearm that cannot be carried and used by one person;

> (2) A firearm that has a bore diameter greater than 1 1/2 inches and that uses smokeless powder, not black powder, as a propellant;

> (3) ammunition with a projectile that explodes using an explosion of chemical energy after the projectile leaves the firearm; or

> (4) a firearm that discharges two or more projectiles with one activation of the trigger or other firing device.

> Section 6. Marketing of firearms. A firearm manufactured or sold in Montana under [sections 1 through 6] must have the words "Made in Montana " clearly stamped on a central metallic part, such as the receiver or frame.

> Section 7. Codification instruction. [Sections 1 through 6] are intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 30, and the provisions of Title 30 apply to [sections 1 through 6].

> Section 8. Applicability. [This act] applies to firearms, firearms accessories, and

ammunition that are manufactured, as defined in [section 3], and retained in Montana after October 1, 2009.

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