

**STATE OF ALASKA
THE LEGISLATURE**

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Encouraging the manufacture of firearms and firearms accessories in the state.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

WHEREAS other states in the nation have enacted or are considering enacting laws that would prohibit the possession of certain firearms and firearms accessories; and

WHEREAS those laws may make it impossible for existing manufacturers to remain or do business in those states legally; and

WHEREAS, as a result, many manufacturers of firearms and firearms accessories are examining options for relocating their manufacturing to a more firearms-friendly location; and

WHEREAS Alaska is a firearms-friendly state with excellent constitutional and statutory protections for firearms possession, use, and manufacture; and

WHEREAS the state has a well-educated work force that possesses a strong work ethic, and workers and others in the state enjoy a culture of firearms knowledge and respect; and

WHEREAS the state offers open space and natural beauty and is a great place to live and work;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature encourages threatened firearms

and firearms accessories manufacturers to consider the state as a place to conduct business; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature urges the Governor to promote the state as open for business for manufacturers of firearms and firearms accessories; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature urges the Governor to coordinate with firearms-related groups and businesses in the state to develop contacts with firearms and firearms accessories manufacturers in other states and deliver this resolution to them; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature urges the Governor to actively seek out firearms and firearms accessories manufacturers to encourage them to move to the state; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature urges the Governor to aid, through all available means, firearms and firearms accessories manufacturers in relocating to the state.

COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Sean Parnell, Governor of Alaska; the National Shooting Sports Foundation; A.T. Wall Company dba Metalform; Acme United Corporation; Action Target; Aimpoint; ATK Sporting Group; Austin Sheridan USA, Inc.; Beretta U.S.A.; Blackhawk Industries, Inc.; Browning Arms Company; Bushnell Corporation; Butler Creek; Caesar Guerini/Fabarm; Carlson's Choke Tubes LLC; CCI/Speer Ammunition; Cobra Firearms; Colt's Manufacturing Company LLC; Comp-Tac Victory Gear LLC; Coonan, Inc.; COR-BON/Glaser LLC; CZ-USA; Dakota Arms; Diamondback Firearms, LLC; ESS Eye Pro; Falcon Industries, Inc.; Federal Cartridge Company; Final Approach Waterfowl Company; Focchi of America, Inc.; FNH USA LLC; Franklin Armory; Freedom Arms, Inc.; Freedom Group; Frogg Toggs; Galco Gunleather; Glaser Safety Slug, Inc.; Glock, Inc.; Goex Powder, Inc.; H & R 1871 LLC; The Heckler and Koch Group; Heizer Firearms; North Pass, Ltd; Hodgdon Powder Company; Hornady Manufacturing; Judson A. Smith Company; K-Var Corporation; Kel-Tec CNC Industries, Inc.; Laporte America LLC; Leupold & Stevens, Inc.; Lewis Machine & Tool Company; Lyman Products Corporation; Magpul Industries Inc.; MAGTECH Ammunition Co., Inc.; Marlin Firearms Company; Millett Industries; MKS Supply, Inc.; Nammo Lapua Oy; North American Arms, Inc.; Nosler,

Inc.; Numrich Gun Parts Corporation; O. F. Mossberg & Sons, Inc.; OAKDEF; OAKSI; ODI/Stag Outdoor Products; Olin Corporation; Outers; Parmatech Corporation; Pembroke Gun & Range; PJ Industries, Inc.; Promatic, Inc.; RCBS; Remington Arms Company LLC; Savage Arms Company; Sellmark Corporation; Sierra Bullets; SIG Sauer; Sightron, Inc.; Simmons Optics; Smith & Wesson Corporation; St. Marks Powder, Inc.; Stoney Point; Sturm Ruger and Company, Inc.; Tasco, Inc.; Taurus International Mfg., Inc.; Ten-X Ammunition, Inc.; The Outdoor Connection, Inc.; Trulock Tool; U.S. Repeating Arms Company; Uncle Mike's Law Enforcement; Volquartsen Custom; Vortex Optics; Weatherby, Inc.; and ZEV Technologies, Inc.