SPECIAL NEWSLETTER: 28 June 2021

Dear Colleague

What a busy month this has been, but as you know the Draft Firearms Amendment Bill could have far-reaching implications to firearm ownership in the hunting and sport shooting sectors. We spent a lot of time scrutinizing the bill and prepared various documents for comments, petitions, and information to ensure you – our members – are empowered to be part of the process.

In today's newsletter, you will find the following:

1. The tenth information sheet with more detail on trade in and transport of firearms.
2. SA Hunters' fifth and final petition for you to print out and sign, as well as the link to submit it electronically on the change.org platform. We implore you to continue to sign and distribute – make your voice heard please.
3. The fifth and final of a series of comment sheets (pre-populated) that enable you to send comments directly to the Civilian Secretariat for the Police Service. Again, it is attached in both PDF and WORD document options for use. The email address to submit comments directly: comments.fcabill@csp.gov.za – remember each comment is listed as an objection so let's keep up the momentum.
4. An article that appeared in the Daily Friend, detailing widespread resistance to the Draft Firearms Amendment Bill with specifically some interesting viewpoints from various communities.
5. A briefing document released by the SA Gunowners' Association (SAGA) detailing how to write a submission to the secretariat.
6. Two reports issued by the Civilian Secretariate for the Police Service which, according to their media release, is the basis of the proposed amendments (both from 2016).

The link to the tenth information sheet can be found **here**.

The link to the copy of Petition No 5 that you can print out is available **here**.

The link to the electronic petition is available **here**.

The link to the fifth comment sheet **here** and MS Word **here** under comments section.

The link to the Daily Friend article is available **here**

The SAGA information piece can be found **here**

The link to the reports issued by the secretariat can be found **here** and **here**

*Remember, the public consultation process ends on 4 July 2021 and the final day for comments is 3 July 2021 – so we only have five days left to make our voices heard. For the full collection of our campaign elements, visit our website **here**

Kind regards

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Beste kollega

Dit was omtrent ‘n bedrywige maand! Soos julle teen hierdie tyd weet, kan die konsepwysigings op die Wet op die Beheer van Vuurwapens verreikende gevolge inhou vir vuurwapeneienaars en die jag- en sportskietsektor. Ons het baie tyd bestee om die konsepwet te bestudeer en om talle dokumente, petisies, en bykomende inligting voor te berei om julle – ons lede – te bemagtig om aan die kommentaarproses deel te neem.

Saam met vandag se nuusbrief, kry julle die volgende:

1. Die tiende inligtingstuk met inligting oor die handel en vervoer van vuurwapens.
2. SA Jagters se vyfde en finale petisie wat lede kan uitdruk en onderteken, of die skakel na change.org se platform volg om kommentaar elektronies in te handig. Ons doen ‘n beroep op lede om hierdie finale petisie te teken en te versprei – laat jou stem nou hoor!.
3. Die vyfde en finale dokument van ‘n reeks kommentaarstukke (reeds voltooi) wat individue kan gebruik om hulle eie kommentaar direk aan die Siviele Sekretariaat vir die Polisie te stuur. Dit is beskikbaar in PDF en WORD. Stuur dit direk aan comments.fcabill@csp.gov.za Onthou, elke kommentaar tel. Hou asseblief momentum.
4. ‘n Artikel wat in die Daily Friend verskyn het rakende die konsepwysiginswet wat veral ‘n paar interessante opinies vanuit verskeie gemeenskappe in die kollig plaas.
5. ‘n Dokument deur die SA Geweerseienaars-Assosiasie (SAGA) wat meer detail gee oor hoe om kommentaar na die sekretariaat te lewer.
6. Twee verslae wat deur die Siviele Sekretariaat vir die Polisie uitgereik is wat klaarblyk die basis is op grond waarvan die voorgenome wysigings gesubstansieer word (beide uit 2016).

Lees die tiende inligtingstuk **hier.**

Kry toegang tot Petisie nr. 5 **hier.**

Kry die elektroniese petisie **hier**

Die vyfde kommentaardokument is **hier** beskikbaar MS Word **hier** op webwerf onder kommentaar afdeling

Die artikel na die Daily Friend is beskikbaar **hier**

Die SAGA inligtingstuk is beskikbaar **hier**

Die verslae wat deur die sekretariaat uitgereik is kan **hier** en **hier** gelees word.

*Onthou, die openbare konsultasieproses eindig op 4 Julie 2021 en die laaste dag vir kommentaar is op 3 Julie 2021. Daar is net 5 dae oor om jou stem te laat hoor. Kry toegang tot die volledige stel dokumente in ons vuurwapenveldtog **hier**

Vriendelike groete

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