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Senate Law and Justice Committee
Washington State Senate
455 J.A. Cherberg Bldg.
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Dear Senate Law and Justice Committee Members,

The Seattle Human Rights Commission has recently adopted a resolution for your consideration. The resolution calls on the Washington State Legislature to pass legislation requiring criminal background checks on all gun sales in Washington State. We believe that this legislation is necessary to ensure that all Washingtonians are protected in the free and equal exercise of our human rights to life, liberty and security of person.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions at 684-4540. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Catherine Moore, Chair
Seattle Human Right Commission

Nika Dahlbacka, Chair
Seattle Human Rights Commission

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Sarah Bishop, Commissioner
Seattle Human Rights Commission

cc: Patty Lally, Acting Director, Seattle Office for Civil Rights