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## NRA Opposes Final Passage of S. 1805

Dear Senator:

The NRA opposes passage of S. 1805.

While we will continue to work to save the U.S. firearms industry, we have said from the start that we would not allow this bill to become a vehicle for added restrictions on the law-abiding people of America. Given this fact, we oppose passage of S. 1805 and will fight this issue another day.

Our decision is in no way a reflection on the hard work and dedication of those Senators on both sides of the aisle—especially Sen. Larry Craig and most of his cosponsors—who stood up for the principle of individual responsibility embodied in S. 1805, and who opposed the anti-gun “poison pill” amendments aimed at destroying it. We appreciate their hard work and dedication.

However, having made our decision, this vote is a key vote for the NRA and will be used in our future evaluations and endorsements of candidates for the U.S. Senate.

Sincerely,

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