



Bill Summary and Position Paper

S.2319

Senate Bill 2319
117th Congress (2021-22)

3D Printed Gun Safety Act of 2021

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NAGR Position: Strongly Oppose

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What the Bill Does

- S.2319 seeks to prohibit the distribution of 3D printer plans for the printing of firearms, and for other purposes.

Why it's Bad for Gun Owners:

- Opens the door to having the government micromanage every conceivable part and accessory that can be swapped on or attached to a firearm including diagrams of firearm parts and complete firearms.
- This bill opens up a path for the government to go into peoples' houses to take private property such as 3D printers, plastic materials, and computer equipment.
- Can make 3D-Printing of firearm parts, complete firearms, and building instructions illegal. The punishment could be a felony.
- Opens the door for the government to create a registry of firearms and parts, so the government can track down people producing and distributing diagrams of complete firearms and parts.

Additional Co-Sponsors:

- 27 Democrat co-sponsors as of 8/12/2021.

Related Bills:

- H.R. 1454 – “So called Ghost Gun Ban” Act of 2021

References:

1. Official Bill Text and Status: [S. 2319- 3D Printed Guns Safety Act of 2021](#)