

House Concurrent Resolution No. 63

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR (139).

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1 **WHEREAS**, earlier this week, President of the United States, Barack H. Obama, by
2 executive order, unilaterally amended a number of laws duly enacted by the elected
3 representatives of the American people, the United States Congress; and

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5 **WHEREAS**, the separation of powers was established to prevent the concentration of
6 power and authority and to provide a series of checks and balances between the branches of
7 government; and

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9 **WHEREAS**, the executive overreach by the actions of President Barack H. Obama
10 clearly and intentionally subverts the legislative process and violates the constitutionally
11 established separation of powers; and

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13 **WHEREAS**, the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution clearly states:

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15 "...the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed."; and

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17 **WHEREAS**, President Barack H. Obama's Executive Order will unquestionably infringe
18 upon American citizens' constitutionally protected right to firearm ownership; and

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20 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the members of the House of
21 Representatives of the Ninety-eighth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the Senate
22 concurring therein, hereby urge the United States Congress to reject and revoke President Barack
23 H. Obama's Executive Order on firearm control, and hereby stand with Congress in fighting
24 executive overreach; and

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26 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of
27 Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution to the
28 Majority Leader and Minority Leader of the United States Senate; the Majority Leader and
29 Minority Leader of the United States House of Representatives; and each member of the
30 Missouri Congressional delegation.

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