



League of United Latin American Citizens

Liability insurance on Weapons and Ammunition Council 4383

WHEREAS, illegal gun violence increases the demand for legal firearms, increasing the proliferation of firearms, and increases the chances of firearms being stolen or misused

WHEREAS, the United States of America has an unacceptably high rate of injury and death by firearms.

WHEREAS, education and safety practices greatly reduce the incidence of theft or misuse of firearms.

WHEREAS, there is no current requirement for gun owners to carry liability or comprehensive insurance protecting against the misuse or theft of firearms.

WHEREAS, the insurance industry has demonstrated competence in gathering scientific, objective data, reducing risk, and promoting innovation, policy, and safety for every activity they cover.

WHEREAS, legal and responsible gun owners as well as any potential victims of theft, accidental or intentional misuse of firearms, or gun violence would all benefit from the protections provided by liability and comprehensive insurance.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED to request the following of those empowered with legislative and administrative authority within government and the insurance industry:

1. Establishment of liability and comprehensive insurance policies covering every legally purchased firearm.
2. Establishment of a legal requirement to purchase and maintain such policies for every firearm one intends to carry and as a prerequisite for purchase of ammunition for those firearms.

3. Establishment of an "ammo tax" that would serve to provide public benefits to those harmed by the illegal use of firearms.

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