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**INQUIRY INTO PROVISIONS OF THE FIREARMS AND
WEAPONS LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (CRIMINAL
USE) BILL 2020**

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Dear Ministers, I am writing to you as a licensed shooter and Law-abiding firearm owner. I have significant concerns over the "Firearms and Weapons Legislation Amendment (Criminal Use) Bill 2020", currently before the NSW Parliament. I passionately believe that the provisions of this Bill are too ambiguous and open to police misinterpretation and abuse of power. As it stands the Bill creates a serious threat to all licensed firearm owners and other persons. People who own and possess everyday tools which could now be perceived as firearm precursors used to make firearm parts, could be significantly negatively impacted by this Bill. The Bill does NOT differentiate between licensed firearm owners and criminals. The Bill entitles police to act on suspicion of an offence or without probable cause.