



Endorsements for the GOSAFE Act

“Once again, Senator Heinrich is leading the charge for gun violence prevention in New Mexico and across the country,” **said Miranda Viscoli, Co-President of New Mexicans to Prevent Gun Violence.** “The GOSAFE Act will help make our communities safer from gun violence. These highly lethal firearms have no place in civilian hands. We applaud Senator Heinrich for having the courage to introduce this life-saving legislation.”

“Young people have been sounding the alarm for years: weapons of war don’t belong in our communities. The GOSAFE Act is a bold and necessary step to finally limit access to the high-capacity firearms and conversion devices that continue to fuel mass shootings. We applaud this legislation as a vital piece of the fight to end the gun violence crisis,” **said March For Our Lives.**

“Time and time again, Americans have suffered mass murders perpetrated by individuals with high-powered, semi-automatic firearms coupled with detachable large capacity magazines. The GOSAFE Act addresses this key issue, ending the proliferation of weapons better suited for a battlefield and mitigating future acts of senseless violence. Brady thanks Senators Heinrich, King, Kelly, and Bennet, and Representative McBath for reintroducing this important bill and for their work to free Americans from gun violence,” **said Mark Collins, Director of Federal Policy for Brady: United Against Gun Violence.**

“The worst moment of my life and some of the worst tragedies in our history were committed using a particular gas-operated, semi-automatic firearm designed to kill as many people as quickly as possible. They are the preferred tool of mass shooters that wish to cause maximum harm. Limiting access to these highly lethal firearms and large capacity magazines will protect our children and countless others from gun violence. We applaud Senator Heinrich on the introduction of the GOSAFE Act and urge Congress to pass this life-saving legislation,” **said Mark Barden, Co-Founder and CEO of Sandy Hook Promise Action Fund, and father of Daniel, who was killed in the Sandy Hook Elementary School tragedy.**

“Weapons of war wreak unfathomable carnage, and they have no place in civilian hands,” **said John Feinblatt, President of Everytown for Gun Safety.** “We applaud Senator Heinrich and Congresswoman McBath for introducing innovative legislation to regulate assault weapons and high-capacity magazines and urge their colleagues to pass this bill before another community is scarred by someone filled with hate and armed with an AR-15.”

“The GOSAFE Act is a targeted reform of the military-style firearms that have made mass shootings increasingly deadly and destructive. This bill addresses the core of what makes them so lethal and ensures new designs can’t be used to sidestep the law. We applaud Senators Heinrich, King, Kelly, and Bennet and Representative McBath for championing this vital public safety legislation, which would keep weapons of war out of dangerous hands while preserving law-abiding citizens’ ability to own firearms,” **said Emma Brown, Executive Director of GIFFORDS & GIFFORDS Law Center.**

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