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Dear Governor Haley,

I urge you to sign Senate Bill 1110 into law.

There seems to be a new atrocity almost each week: Obama ignores the law and tries to ban bullets -- illegally & Obama ignores the law and tries to compile a gun registry -- illegally & Obama encourages banks to strangle gun dealers -- illegally & Obama ignores the law and tries to traffic guns to Mexican drug cartels -- illegally.

We now have an administration which has set itself up above both the law and the Constitution.

But now, both chambers in the Tennessee legislature have passed SB 1110, a bill that will prevent public funds from being used to implement Obama's illegal and unconstitutional gun control.

Comparable bills have already been passed into law in places like Kansas, Idaho and Alaska, and they are being actively considered in as many as a dozen states.

The rationale is simple: The Supreme Court, in the Printz case, held that states cannot be conscripted against their will as implementers of a federal regulatory regime. The same principle was used by the court in NFIB v. Sebelius to exempt the states from mandatory Medicaid expansion under ObamaCare.

So there is not a shadow of a doubt that Tennessee has the right to refuse to mindlessly implement Barack Obama's illegal gun control. The only question is whether legislators have the will.