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Subject: Re: Man returns gun ammo to walmart at 1300 feet per second

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 03:19:05 GMT

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Mentally stable I can see restricting access to, but you don't give mentally unstable people operator (driver's) licenses, either.

My past behavior, while is somewhat of an indication of my future behavior, does not define my future behavior. If I've done my time and am now given the chance to be a law-abiding citizen, I don't feel that I should be prevented from buying weapons.

To some extent, I do believe in preventing felons from purchasing guns. As long as the crime is severe enough to warrant such a thing.

Regardless, this doesn't require a background check. If the person has his or her weapon license revoked, they wouldn't be able to purchase a weapon. Just as someone without their ID would be unable to purchase tobacco, alcohol, lottery tickets, pornography, etc...

No privacy is invaded. No waiting period. Some comfort knowing a serial killer won't have legal access (but again, will still have illegal access) to weapons.

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