Annotated Bibliography

Primary Sources

1. "Calls for the Right to Keep and Bear Arms from State Ratification Conventions." Accessed November 20, 2017.

http://www2.law.ucla.edu/volokh/2amteach/sources.htm#TOC4

This source, written by an unknown author, provides the demands made by some states to keep and bear arms. The states mentioned in this source are New Hampshire, Virginia, New York, North Carolina, and Rhode Island. The source shows that these states demanded that people have the right to keep and bear arms, and that the government grant them these rights. This source gives relevant information regarding the background of gun control in society and helps to shape the way people think of gun control.

2. "Text of the Second Amendment and Related Contemporaneous Provisions." Accessed November 20, 2017. http://www2.law.ucla.edu/volokh/2amteach/sources.htm#TOC4

This source, written by an unknown author, contains text from The Second Amendment as well as other related laws regarding a person's right to be armed. The source provides laws from states such as Connecticut, Kentucky, Massachusetts, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Vermont, and Virginia. This source is helpful in describing the origin of the way society views gun control because it provides the basis in which gun control laws were based off of, The Second Amendment.

3. "The Right of the People' in Other Bill of Rights Provisions." Accessed November 20, 2017. http://www2.law.ucla.edu/volokh/2amteach/sources.htm#TOC4

This source, written by an unknown author, shows the rights of people in other parts of the constitution such as the First Amendment, the Fourth Amendment, the Ninth Amendment, and the Tenth Amendment. The source shows that all of these amendments say essentially the same thing, that the government does not have the right to take away the right of the people to keep and bear arms. This helps to provide the origin of the way society views gun control because it shows other examples of the idea of the right to keep and bear arms throughout the constitution.

Secondary Sources

4. Charles, Patrick J. "Gun Control." Accessed November 20, 2017. http://library.eb.com/levels/referencecenter/article/gun-control/488350#289771.toc

This source, written by Patrick J Charles, is mainly about gun control in the United States. The source gives information regarding other places around the world and their issues with gun control such as Japan, Canada, the United Kingdom, and Germany. Patrick J. Charles is a senior historian at the United States Special Operations Command and went to college at Queen Mary-University of London. This source helps show where the views on gun control originated because it provides a large amount of information on the historical origins of gun control.

5. Hanson, Freya Ottem. *The Second Amendment: The Right to Own Guns*. Springfield, NJ: Enslow Publishers, 1998.

This book, written by Freya Ottem Hanson, is about the second amendment and touches upon both sides of the debate over gun control. The source provides information on gun control concerning the government, different states, and the supreme court. Freya Ottem Hanson is a lawyer in New Brighton, Minnesota. This book is helpful in expressing how society's views on gun control originated because it describes the government's role in gun control and how it affects both sides of the debate on gun control laws.