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Anthony Galazan Standard Manufacturing New Britain, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Galazan,

Concerning your inquiry as to whether the model DP-12 shotgun manufactured by Standard Manufacturing violates the "large capacity magazine" law, or "assault weapon" law in the State of Colorado, we find that since July 1, 2013, it has been unlawful in Colorado to possess, sell or transfer a "large capacity magazine." The definition of a "large capacity magazine", is found within Colorado House Bill 13-1224. Under section (2) (a), "LARGE-CAPACITY MAGAZINE MEANS:

- (I) A FIXED OR DETACHABLE MAGAZINE, BOX, DRUM, FEED STRIP, OR SIMILAR DEVICE CAPABLE OF ACCEPTING, OR THAT IS DESIGNED TO BE READILY CONVERTED TO ACCEPT, MORE THAN FIFTEEN ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION:
- (II) A FIXED, TUBULAR SHOTGUN MAGAZINE THAT HOLDS MORE THAN TWENTY-EIGHT INCHES OF SHOTGUN SHELLS, INCLUDING ANY EXTENSION DEVICE THAT IS ATTACHED TO THE MAGAZINE AND HOLDS ADDITIONAL SHOTGUN SHELLS; OR
- (III) A NONTUBULAR, DETACHABLE MAGAZINE, BOX, DRUM, FEED STRIP, OR SIMILAR DEVICE THAT IS CAPABLE OF ACCEPTING MORE THAN EIGHT SHOTGUN SHELLS WHEN COMBINED WITH A FIXED MAGAZINE.
- (b) "LARGE-CAPACITY MAGAZINE" DOES NOT MEAN:

- (I) A FEEDING DEVICE THAT HAS BEEN PERMANENTLY ALTERED SO THAT IT CANNOT ACCOMMODATE MORE THAN FIFTEEN ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION;
- (II) AN ATTACHED TUBULAR DEVICE DESIGNED TO ACCEPT, AND CAPABLE OF OPERATING ONLY WITH, .22 CALIBER RIMFIRE AMMUNITION; OR
- (III) A TUBULAR MAGAZINE THAT IS CONTAINED IN A LEVER-ACTION FIREARM.

Concerning "assault weapons", only the city of Denver has a ban on firearms defined as such.

The ordinance bans the sale and possession of firearms with "semiautomatic action" or that use detachable magazines with a capacity of 21 or more rounds.

The model DP-12 as manufactured by Standard Manufacturing, neither possesses a magazine in violation of the above-listed ban on large capacity magazines, as each of it's two magazines have a capacity of seven cartridges, and an interior capacity of 16.5 linear inches, with an exterior length of 18.03 inches when assembled with receiver end cap, plunger and compressed spring.

Nor does the model DP-12 fall within the definition of an "assault weapon" under the Denver "assault weapon" law, as it employs a pump-action, and not a semi-automatic action.

Sincerely,

Daniel O'Kelly

Director

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