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**OKLAHOMA MOMS DEMAND ACTION CHAPTER SCORES VICTORY
AT STATE LEGISLATURE**

Letter and email campaign from Moms Demand Action prevented House Bill 2329 from being added to Senate Agenda

(Oklahoma City, OK) April 4, 2014 – The Oklahoma chapter of Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America launched an all-out social media campaign that included parents and school administrators from all over the state encouraging state legislators to put the safety of students in Oklahoma schools above the interests of the gun lobby. In response, Senator Don Barrington, chair of the Public Safety and Homeland Security Committee stated, “due to receiving many letters from concerned parents and school administrators from across the state, [HB 2329](#) by Senator Larry Boggs will not be on the [Senate] agenda.”

“Moms put the safety of our children first and we’ll do our part to support legislators who do the same,” said Moms Demand Action Oklahoma chapter leader, Sabine Brown, “This legislation was bad for our kids and I’m thrilled that our hard work paid off.”

HB 2329, introduced by Representative Sally Kern in the House, sought to reduce punishment for bringing a hidden, loaded gun inside a school from a felony to a misdemeanor. Moms Demand Action urged their supporters to email and call their State Senators encouraging them “to protect children’s safety over gun lobby interests.”

About Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America

Much like Mothers Against Drunk Driving was created to change laws regarding drunk driving, Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America was created to build support for common-sense gun reforms. The nonpartisan grassroots movement of American mothers is demanding new and stronger solutions to lax gun laws and loopholes that jeopardize the safety of our children and families. In just one year, the organization has more than 150,000 members with a chapter in every state in the country. The group recently joined forces with [Mayors Against Illegal Guns](#), the largest gun violence prevention organization in the country. For more

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