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22nd Annual Gun Rights Policy Conference

October 5-7, 2007

Drawbridge Inn and Convention Center ❖ Cincinnati Airport (Fort Mitchell, KY)

FRIDAY, October 5, 2007—House of York

7:00 p.m. **Registration Table Opens—London Lobby**

7:00–10:00 p.m. **Buffet Reception with Cash Bar**

Co-hosted by National Rifle Association, Citizens Committee for the Right to
Keep and Bear Arms and Second Amendment Foundation

SATURDAY, October 6, 2007—London Hall Ballroom

7:30 a.m. **Registration Table Opens**
Continental Breakfast hosted by *Women & Guns* Magazine

8:15 a.m. **CALL TO ORDER**
Moderator—Peggy Tartaro, editor of *Women & Guns* and board member, CCRKBA
Pledge of Allegiance
Invocation—John M. Snyder, founder, St. Gabriel Possenti Society

8:30 a.m. **State of the Gun Rights Battle**
Welcoming Remarks
The Road Traveled—Joseph P. Tartaro, editor of *Gun Week*, president,
Second Amendment Foundation (SAF)
The Road Ahead—Alan M. Gottlieb, chairman, Citizens Committee for the Right to
Keep and Bear Arms (CCRKBA) and founder, SAF

9:00 a.m. **Federal Affairs Briefing**
John M. Snyder, public affairs director, Citizens Committee for the Right to Keep and Bear Arms
Charles H. Cunningham, director, federal affairs, NRA Institute for Legislative Action
Larry Pratt, executive director, Gun Owners of America
Ralph Walker, treasurer, National Muzzle Loading Rifle Association
Jake McGuigan, director of government relations, National Shooting Sports Foundation

9:45 a.m. **Second Amendment in the US Supreme Court**
Robert A. Levy, Esq., co-counsel, *Parker v. District of Columbia*, senior fellow, Cato Institute
Alan Gura, Esq., counsel, *Parker v. District of Columbia*

10:15 a.m. **Break and Refreshments hosted by *The New Gun Week***

10:30 a.m. **State Legislative Affairs Briefing**
State Sen. Sam Slom (R-HI), board of trustees, Second Amendment Foundation
State Rep. Jackie Walorski (R-Indiana21st Dist.)
State Rep. Tom Brinkman Jr. (R-Ohio 34th Dist.)
Chuck Michel, Esq., legislative counsel to California Rifle & Pistol Assn.
Stephen Aldstadt, secretary-treasurer, SCOPE Inc. of New York.

11:00 a.m. **Questions & Answers on Federal and State Legislation**

11:15 a.m. **Special Address**
Wayne LaPierre, executive vice president, National Rifle Association

11:45 a.m. **Recess and break to prepare for box luncheon**

- 12:00 Noon** **Awards Lunch**
Hosted by CCRKBA and SAF
Speakers: John Lott, author and senior researcher, University of Maryland
 US Rep. Jean Schmidt (R-OH 2nd Dist.)
Awards presentations
- 1:30 p.m.** **Popular Culture and the Future of Gun Rights**
Clayton E. Cramer, author *Armed America* and other gun rights books
Timothy Wheeler, MD, director, Doctors for Responsible Gun Ownership, a project of the Claremont
 Institute
Nicole Stallard, spokesperson, Pink Pistols
- 2:00 p.m.** **Expanding the Right to Carry**
Scott Kappas, Esq., Class 3 Dealer, author of *“The Traveler’s Guide”*
Genie Jennings, national spokeswoman, Second Amendment Sisters
Jeff Knox, operations manager, The Firearms Coalition
- 2:30 p.m.** **Exploiting New Communications Technologies**
Kenneth Blanchard, podcaster and author of *Black Man with a Gun*
David T. Hardy, Esq., constitutional scholar, author and Second Amendment video producer
Malia Zimmerman, editor, *Hawaii Reporter*
Mark A. Taff, executive director, CCRKBA
- 3:15 p.m.** **“The Great New Orleans Gun Grab”**
Gordon Hutchinson, author of the forthcoming book of the same title
- 3:30 p.m.** **Break and refreshments hosted by KeepAndBearArms.com**
- 3:45p.m.** **UN, EU, NAU and the Alphabet of Gun Control**
Alan M. Gottlieb, founder, Second Amendment Foundation
David Kopel, senior policy analyst, Independence Institute, columnist NR Online
Tony Bernardo, executive director, Canadian Institute for Legislative Action, Canadian
 Shooting Sports Association
- 4:15 p.m.** **Litigating Gun Cases in a Hostile Environment**
Virgil McVicker, president, Madison Society Foundation
Don B. Kates, Esq., author, criminologist and constitutional scholar
Donald Kilmer, Esq., constitutional issues litigator
Chuck Michel, Esq., counsel to CRPA, NRA and SAF
- 5:00 p.m.** **Presidential and Congressional Elections 2008**
Alan M. Gottlieb, chairman, American Political Action Committee
Charles Cunningham, director, NRA Political Victory Fund
Jim Irvine, chairman, Buckeye Firearms Association
- 5:30 p.m.** **Q & A on Saturday session**
- 6:00 p.m.** **Announcements and Adjournment**
- 6:30-9:30 p.m.** **Reception with Cash Bar—House of York Ballroom**
Hosted by National Shooting Sports Foundation, SAF and CCRKBA
Speaker: Rep. Ron Paul (R-TX), 2008 Presidential Candidate
- 9:30 p.m.** **Video Screening: “In Search of the Second Amendment”**
Hosted by David T. Hardy, Esq.

SUNDAY, October 7, 2007—London Hall Ballroom

- 8:00 A.M. Registration Table Opens**
Continental Breakfast hosted by *The New Gun Week*
- 8:50 a.m. CALL TO ORDER**
Moderator, Mark A. Taff, executive director, CCRKBA
- 9:00 a.m. Anti-Gun Fifth Columns: Microstamping and Ammunition Bans**
Chuck Michel, Esq., Trutanich-Michel, LLP Attorneys at law
Donald Kruse, retired as police officer in two Tennessee police departments
- 9:30 a.m. When Rights Collide Where You Work, Shop, Study, and Worship**
Chuck Klein, author of *Guns in the Workplace*
Charles H. Cunningham, director, federal affairs, NRA Institute for Legislative Action
Michael Flitcraft, campus leader, University of Cincinnati, Students for Concealed Carry on Campus
- 10:00 a.m. Shooters Finding No Home on the Range**
Dave Workman, senior editor, *The New Gun Week*
Phillip Van Cleave, president, Virginia Civil Defense League
Michael R. Moran, Esq., firearms instructor & Ohio gun rights attorney
- 10:30 a.m. Targeting Gun Dealers: Bloomberg, Jesse Jackson and ATF**
Richard Pearson, executive director, Illinois State Rifle Assn
Frank M. Reed, consultant, NRA instructor, Ohio activist
- 11:00 a.m. The False Flags of Outdoor Sports, Conservation and Unionism**
Joseph P. Tartaro, president of SAF and executive editor of *Gun Week*
Richard Feldman, author, *Confessions of a Gun Lobbyist*
Dave Workman, senior editor, *The New Gun Week*
- 11:30 p.m. Q & A on Morning Session**
- 12:00 Noon Report of the Resolutions Committee**
John Hosford, Wyoming gun rights activist
Jim Church, Michigan activist and former NRA board member
Richard Pearson, president, Illinois State Rifle Association
Robert Wiest, Second Amendment Foundation board of trustees, Tennessee activist
Timothy Wheeler, MD, director, Doctors for Responsible Gun Ownership
Genie Jennings, national spokeswoman, Second Amendment Sisters
- 1:00 p.m. Closing remarks and adjournment**
Alan M. Gottlieb and Joseph P. Tartaro