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TEXT OF H.R. 2814, THE EQUAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE FOR VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE ACT OF 2022

[Showing the text of H.R. 2814, as ordered reported by the Committee on the Judiciary.]

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Equal Access to Justice for Victims of Gun Violence Act of 2022”.

4 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE PROTECTION OF LAWFUL COMMERCE IN ARMS ACT.**

6 Sections 2 through 4 of the Protection of Lawful Commerce in Arms Act (15 U.S.C. 7901–7903) are repealed.

9 **SEC. 3. DISCOVERABILITY AND ADMISSIBILITY OF GUN TRACE INFORMATION IN CIVIL PROCEEDINGS.**

12 The contents of the Firearms Trace System database maintained by the National Trace Center of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives shall not be immune from legal process, shall be subject to subpoena or other discovery, shall be admissible as evidence, and may be used, relied on, or disclosed in any manner, and

1 testimony or other evidence may be permitted based on
2 the data, on the same basis as other information, in a civil
3 action in any State (including the District of Columbia)
4 or Federal court or in an administrative proceeding.

