

## Women's Coalition Wants Gun Control Bill Abolished

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The Coalition of Provincial and Territorial Advisory Councils on the Status of Women are calling on government to scrap a bill calling for the abolition of the gun control registry. The vote on Bill C-391 will face a third reading in the House, at which point politicians will be asked to vote on whether or not to repeal the gun registry. The coalition says oftentimes, guns are a weapon of choice in intimidation and violence against women and children, and in domestic homicides. They say gun control is very much a women's issue, but is also very much society's issue. The coalition is asking government to show its commitment to ending violence by supporting the continuation and strengthening of the long gun registry.