

# *Constitutional Supremacy*

The U.S. Supreme Court made a ruling in 1957 that forbids the creation of any foreign treaty or order that infringes on the U.S. Constitution. That ruling, *Reid v Covert*, is citation 354 U.S. 1, June 10, 1957. It states,

**“The Constitution supersedes all treaties ratified by the United States Senate.”**

The United Nations is currently finalizing its **Arms Trade Treaty**. It appears that Russia, China, France, the U.S.A. together with various other members of the U.N., which houses many enemies of the U.S. who would delight in seeing its downfall, are drafting this treaty. One of the aims of the treaty is to restrict private firearms ownership. That treaty goes beyond *infringement* of U.S. constitutional rights; it eliminates the keystone amendment of the Bill of Rights, despite the U.S. Supreme Court’s ruling (cited above) that the U.S. Constitution, was *supreme*, and could not be abrogated by any foreign treaty.

During the Eisenhower administration an amendment, known as the Bricker amendment, was to have allayed the fears that the U.S. Constitution, specifically, the Bill of Rights, should ever be jeopardized by an over ambitious, foreign treaty. It was decided that a Supreme Court ruling, such as the landmark case cited above, would be the preferred way to accomplish this goal. Additional landmark constitutional statements by Justice Black in the *Reid v Covert* case state;

**“The United states is entirely a creature of the Constitution. Its power and authority have no other source. It can only act in accordance with all the limitations imposed by the Constitution.”** And;

**“The concept that the Bill of Rights and other constitutional protections against arbitrary government are inoperant (sic)(inoperative) when they become inconvenient or when expediency dictates otherwise is a very dangerous doctrine and if allowed to flourish would destroy the benefit of a written Constitution and undermine the basis of our government.”**

It is imperative that we stop any U.S. government officials engaging the help of the United Nations or similar organizations from enforcing such treaties and attempting to bypass U.S. Constitutional protocol. Such action would eliminate the *Keystone* amendment of the Bill of Rights, the Second Amendment, and disarm the American People. The purpose of the second amendment is forcibly made in Federalist Papers 28, 29, and 46. Recent history emphatically reinforces the philosophy that when governments exclusively have guns, dictatorship ensues. 20<sup>th</sup> century Europe, Asia, Africa, & South America had rulers that were genocidal dictators such as Hitler, Stalin, Mussolini, Mao Tse Tung, Pol Pot, Idi Amin, Juan Peron, etc. It resulted in the murders of tens of millions of people simply for being politically incorrect. The 2<sup>nd</sup> amendment is that right that protects all constitutional rights. It was included in the U.S. Constitution by the founding fathers as one of the “*inalienable rights endowed by the*

*Creator*". If the *Keystone* or 2<sup>nd</sup> amendment goes, they all go! As with an arch, if the keystone loses its integrity, the arch collapses. So it is with the Bill of Rights. If the keystone amendment loses its integrity, dictatorship will have destroyed the U.S. Constitution and our inalienable rights.

**Signing such a treaty by U.S. officials would involve;**

- 1 bypassing congress,*
- 2 ignoring the Supreme Court,*
- 3 defying the U.S. Constitution,*
- 4 perjuring their oath of office to uphold and support the constitution,*
- 5 consorting with enemies of the U.S. to produce such a treaty; destroying U.S. sovereignty.*
- 6 betraying the trust of We, the People.*
- 7 breaking the Supreme Law of the land, putting the U.S.A. outside the Rule of Law.*

**It would overthrow the Constitutional governance of the Republic of the United States.**

Please notify your representatives, senators, the media and other organization interested in the preservation of USA sovereignty and the liberty of We, the People.