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In support of HB2581

My name is Michael Mihalakis and I am here in support of HB 2581. On December 28, an innocent man lost his life after a prank phone call. The prank was the result of an argument that started over a \$1.50 bet on a Call of Duty game.

Andrew Finch was a father of two. His children lost their father over one dollar and fifty cents. Mr. Finch lived with his disabled mother as her caregiver. His mother cares for her other grandchildren and now must raise all of her grandchildren, without her dedicated caregiver.

I am here today to ask you to support this bill so this tragedy never happens to another family. I ask you all to name this bill for Mr. Andrew Finch so his family knows he will not be forgotten.

I appreciate the opportunity to address you all today. I have been intimately involved with shooting protests all over the country. The Wichita community needs its elected officials to restore some feeling of security. This bill will be an important first step towards letting this family and our local and state community heal.