April 6, 2018

Timothy J. Sloan, CEO
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Dear Mr. Sloan:

Thank you for responding, and for your invitation to meet to discuss the issue of Wells Fargo’s association with the National Rifle Association and gun manufacturers.

We’re disappointed to hear that you won’t join leading firms, such as Dick’s Sporting Goods, REI, L.L. Bean, Kroger and others, that have taken concrete steps to keep schools and communities safe. We believe the need to take action to protect students and their educators from gun violence is urgent.

If a meeting or discussion will help you make a decision, we are happy to meet—my office has reached out to schedule that discussion. But no conversation will dissuade us from our view that the NRA and the gun manufacturers need to value people over profits. Tens of thousands of students and their educators have faced gun violence in schools since the Columbine shootings. We have a responsibility on behalf of our members and their students who face potential gun violence every day.

Accordingly, while we would like to meet and hope that happens quickly, we will publicly release our correspondence.

Sincerely,

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    Richard Trumka, President, AFL-CIO
    Mitch Stevens, President, Union Privilege