


Reading comprehension: Woman shoots at shoplifter

Please give reference from the text Write the first and last three words of the quote(s) on the lines with the pen symbol  .

1. Supporters of gun rights claim that...

- guns should not be made available so easily to criminals.
- limiting the number of guns will prevent further mass killings.
- more armed citizens could help to lower crime rates.
- President Obama is right to call for restrictions on arms.



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2. The shoplifter managed to escape to the car park unnoticed.

True False



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3. The police have not released the woman's name to the public yet.

True False



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4. The woman who fired at the shoplifters ...

- is licensed to carry a gun.
- should not have hidden her handgun.
- showed her gun license when she fired.
- used an illegal kind of firearm .



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5. Tick the **TWO** reasons that firearms instructors criticized the woman for:

- She did not have sufficient training to shoot safely in a crowded place.
- She obviously thought she had to do a police officer's job.
- She was not able to see her target clearly enough.
- The situation was not dangerous enough to justify firearm use.

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6. At the moment, it seems that there is a majority of Americans who want to see limits on the right to own a gun.

True False

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7. Tick the **TWO** arguments that commenters left on the police department's facebook page:

- An armed person like the woman is more dangerous than a shoplifter.
- Because of the shots the police were too confused to arrest the shoplifter.
- The woman's reaction was caused by violent computer games.
- The woman should have been arrested by the police.

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8. Gun rights supporters are afraid that the woman's case might be used by gun control advocates.

True False



Total: 10