



General Assembly

Amendment

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Offered by:
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**"AN ACT CONCERNING IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FIREARM
INDUSTRY RESPONSIBILITY ACT, FIREARMS PERMITS AND
ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATES AND SELF-DEFENSE."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2025*) (a) No municipality may
4 regulate, restrict, prohibit or affect the ownership, possession, use,
5 purchase, sale, transportation or transfer of firearms or components for
6 firearms, nor may any municipality maintain or enact any ordinance or
7 regulation which in any way regulates, restricts, prohibits or affects the
8 ownership, possession, use, purchase, sale, transportation or transfer of
9 such firearms or components except as otherwise provided in state or
10 federal law.

11 (b) The matters described in subsection (a) of this section are under
12 the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal government, and the
13 laws relating to such matters are intended to fully occupy the areas
14 described and preempt any city or town, or any political subdivision of

15 a city or town from legislating on such matters except when expressly
16 permitted by the state.

17 (c) A municipality shall not define any activity related to firearms as
18 constituting a public nuisance or as being detrimental to public health
19 and safety.

20 (d) The provisions of this section shall supersede any inconsistent
21 ordinances or regulations enacted by a municipality."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>October 1, 2025</i>	New section