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Committee Bill No. 904

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Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:
(JUD)

AN ACT REQUIRING FIREARM DEALERS TO REPORT LOST OR STOLEN FIREARMS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2007*) (a) Any person who
2 holds a permit to sell at retail a pistol or revolver issued pursuant to
3 subsection (a) of section 29-28 of the general statutes or is a federally-
4 licensed firearm dealer shall report the theft or loss of any firearm in
5 such person's inventory to the organized local police department for
6 the town in which the theft or loss occurred or, if such town does not
7 have an organized local police department, to the state police troop
8 having jurisdiction for such town, not later than seventy-two hours
9 after such person knew or should have known of such theft or loss.
10 Such department or troop shall forthwith forward a copy of such
11 report to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

12 (b) Any person who fails to make a report required by subsection (a)
13 of this section within the prescribed time period shall be guilty of a
14 class A misdemeanor for the first offense and a class D felony for any
15 subsequent offense.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	October 1, 2007	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To reduce the number of illegal guns used in crimes.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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