



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6161**

LCO No. 2442

Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:  
REP. MINER, 66<sup>th</sup> Dist.

***AN ACT CONCERNING INELIGIBILITY FOR A PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL OR REVOLVER.***

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

- 1 That subsection (b) of section 29-28 of the general statutes be
- 2 amended to prohibit a person obtaining a permit to carry a pistol or
- 3 revolver if the applicant for such permit has been confined in a
- 4 hospital for persons with psychiatric disabilities within the preceding
- 5 twenty-four months, rather than within the preceding twelve months,
- 6 and to delete the requirement that such hospitalization have been
- 7 ordered by a probate court.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To expand the mental health look-back period for permits to carry a pistol or revolver to twenty-four months and eliminate the requirement that a probate court order a hospitalization in order for the hospitalization to disqualify a person for a permit.