

1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Firearm Owners Identification Card Act is  
5 amended by changing Sections 1, 1.1, 2, and 3 as follows:

6 (430 ILCS 65/1) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-1)

7 Sec. 1. It is hereby declared as a matter of legislative  
8 determination that in order to promote and protect the health,  
9 safety, and welfare of the public, it is necessary and in the  
10 public interest to provide a system of identifying persons who  
11 are not qualified to acquire or possess firearms, pre-packaged  
12 explosive components, firearm ammunition, stun guns, and  
13 tasers within the State of Illinois by the establishment of a  
14 system of Firearm Owner's Identification Cards, thereby  
15 establishing a practical and workable system by which law  
16 enforcement authorities will be afforded an opportunity to  
17 identify those persons who are prohibited by Section 24-3.1 of  
18 the Criminal Code of 2012, from acquiring or possessing  
19 firearms and firearm ammunition and who are prohibited by this  
20 Act from acquiring stun guns and tasers.

21 (Source: P.A. 97-1150, eff. 1-25-13.)

22 (430 ILCS 65/1.1) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-1.1)

1           Sec. 1.1. For purposes of this Act:

2           "Addicted to narcotics" means a person who has been:

3                 (1) convicted of an offense involving the use or  
4                 possession of cannabis, a controlled substance, or  
5                 methamphetamine within the past year; or

6                 (2) determined by the Department of State Police to be  
7                 addicted to narcotics based upon federal law or federal  
8                 guidelines.

9           "Addicted to narcotics" does not include possession or use  
10           of a prescribed controlled substance under the direction and  
11           authority of a physician or other person authorized to  
12           prescribe the controlled substance when the controlled  
13           substance is used in the prescribed manner.

14           "Adjudicated as a person with a mental disability" means  
15           the person is the subject of a determination by a court, board,  
16           commission or other lawful authority that the person, as a  
17           result of marked subnormal intelligence, or mental illness,  
18           mental impairment, incompetency, condition, or disease:

19                 (1) presents a clear and present danger to himself,  
20                 herself, or to others;

21                 (2) lacks the mental capacity to manage his or her own  
22                 affairs or is adjudicated a person with a disability as  
23                 defined in Section 11a-2 of the Probate Act of 1975;

24                 (3) is not guilty in a criminal case by reason of  
25                 insanity, mental disease or defect;

26                 (3.5) is guilty but mentally ill, as provided in

1 Section 5-2-6 of the Unified Code of Corrections;

2 (4) is incompetent to stand trial in a criminal case;

3 (5) is not guilty by reason of lack of mental  
4 responsibility under Articles 50a and 72b of the Uniform  
5 Code of Military Justice, 10 U.S.C. 850a, 876b;

6 (6) is a sexually violent person under subsection (f)  
7 of Section 5 of the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment  
8 Act;

9 (7) is a sexually dangerous person under the Sexually  
10 Dangerous Persons Act;

11 (8) is unfit to stand trial under the Juvenile Court  
12 Act of 1987;

13 (9) is not guilty by reason of insanity under the  
14 Juvenile Court Act of 1987;

15 (10) is subject to involuntary admission as an  
16 inpatient as defined in Section 1-119 of the Mental Health  
17 and Developmental Disabilities Code;

18 (11) is subject to involuntary admission as an  
19 outpatient as defined in Section 1-119.1 of the Mental  
20 Health and Developmental Disabilities Code;

21 (12) is subject to judicial admission as set forth in  
22 Section 4-500 of the Mental Health and Developmental  
23 Disabilities Code; or

24 (13) is subject to the provisions of the Interstate  
25 Agreements on Sexually Dangerous Persons Act.

26 "Clear and present danger" means a person who:

1           (1) communicates a serious threat of physical violence  
2           against a reasonably identifiable victim or poses a clear  
3           and imminent risk of serious physical injury to himself,  
4           herself, or another person as determined by a physician,  
5           clinical psychologist, or qualified examiner; or

6           (2) demonstrates threatening physical or verbal  
7           behavior, such as violent, suicidal, or assaultive  
8           threats, actions, or other behavior, as determined by a  
9           physician, clinical psychologist, qualified examiner,  
10          school administrator, or law enforcement official.

11          "Clinical psychologist" has the meaning provided in  
12          Section 1-103 of the Mental Health and Developmental  
13          Disabilities Code.

14          "Controlled substance" means a controlled substance or  
15          controlled substance analog as defined in the Illinois  
16          Controlled Substances Act.

17          "Counterfeit" means to copy or imitate, without legal  
18          authority, with intent to deceive.

19          "Federally licensed firearm dealer" means a person who is  
20          licensed as a federal firearms dealer under Section 923 of the  
21          federal Gun Control Act of 1968 (18 U.S.C. 923).

22          "Firearm" means any device, by whatever name known, which  
23          is designed to expel a projectile or projectiles by the action  
24          of an explosion, expansion of gas or escape of gas; excluding,  
25          however:

26                 (1) any pneumatic gun, spring gun, paint ball gun, or

1 B-B gun which expels a single globular projectile not  
2 exceeding .18 inch in diameter or which has a maximum  
3 muzzle velocity of less than 700 feet per second;

4 (1.1) any pneumatic gun, spring gun, paint ball gun, or  
5 B-B gun which expels breakable paint balls containing  
6 washable marking colors;

7 (2) any device used exclusively for signalling or  
8 safety and required or recommended by the United States  
9 Coast Guard or the Interstate Commerce Commission;

10 (3) any device used exclusively for the firing of stud  
11 cartridges, explosive rivets or similar industrial  
12 ammunition; and

13 (4) an antique firearm (other than a machine-gun)  
14 which, although designed as a weapon, the Department of  
15 State Police finds by reason of the date of its  
16 manufacture, value, design, and other characteristics is  
17 primarily a collector's item and is not likely to be used  
18 as a weapon.

19 "Firearm ammunition" means any self-contained cartridge or  
20 shotgun shell, by whatever name known, which is designed to be  
21 used or adaptable to use in a firearm; excluding, however:

22 (1) any ammunition exclusively designed for use with a  
23 device used exclusively for signalling or safety and  
24 required or recommended by the United States Coast Guard or  
25 the Interstate Commerce Commission; and

26 (2) any ammunition designed exclusively for use with a

1 stud or rivet driver or other similar industrial  
2 ammunition.

3 "Gun show" means an event or function:

4 (1) at which the sale and transfer of firearms is the  
5 regular and normal course of business and where 50 or more  
6 firearms are displayed, offered, or exhibited for sale,  
7 transfer, or exchange; or

8 (2) at which not less than 10 gun show vendors display,  
9 offer, or exhibit for sale, sell, transfer, or exchange  
10 firearms.

11 "Gun show" includes the entire premises provided for an  
12 event or function, including parking areas for the event or  
13 function, that is sponsored to facilitate the purchase, sale,  
14 transfer, or exchange of firearms as described in this Section.  
15 Nothing in this definition shall be construed to exclude a gun  
16 show held in conjunction with competitive shooting events at  
17 the World Shooting Complex sanctioned by a national governing  
18 body in which the sale or transfer of firearms is authorized  
19 under subparagraph (5) of paragraph (g) of subsection (A) of  
20 Section 24-3 of the Criminal Code of 2012.

21 Unless otherwise expressly stated, "gun show" does not  
22 include training or safety classes, competitive shooting  
23 events, such as rifle, shotgun, or handgun matches, trap,  
24 skeet, or sporting clays shoots, dinners, banquets, raffles, or  
25 any other event where the sale or transfer of firearms is not  
26 the primary course of business.

1 "Gun show promoter" means a person who organizes or  
2 operates a gun show.

3 "Gun show vendor" means a person who exhibits, sells,  
4 offers for sale, transfers, or exchanges any firearms at a gun  
5 show, regardless of whether the person arranges with a gun show  
6 promoter for a fixed location from which to exhibit, sell,  
7 offer for sale, transfer, or exchange any firearm.

8 "Involuntarily admitted" has the meaning as prescribed in  
9 Sections 1-119 and 1-119.1 of the Mental Health and  
10 Developmental Disabilities Code.

11 "Mental health facility" means any licensed private  
12 hospital or hospital affiliate, institution, or facility, or  
13 part thereof, and any facility, or part thereof, operated by  
14 the State or a political subdivision thereof which provide  
15 treatment of persons with mental illness and includes all  
16 hospitals, institutions, clinics, evaluation facilities,  
17 mental health centers, colleges, universities, long-term care  
18 facilities, and nursing homes, or parts thereof, which provide  
19 treatment of persons with mental illness whether or not the  
20 primary purpose is to provide treatment of persons with mental  
21 illness.

22 "National governing body" means a group of persons who  
23 adopt rules and formulate policy on behalf of a national  
24 firearm sporting organization.

25 "Patient" means:

26 (1) a person who voluntarily receives mental health

1 treatment as an in-patient or resident of any public or  
2 private mental health facility, unless the treatment was  
3 solely for an alcohol abuse disorder and no other secondary  
4 substance abuse disorder or mental illness; or

5 (2) a person who voluntarily receives mental health  
6 treatment as an out-patient or is provided services by a  
7 public or private mental health facility, and who poses a  
8 clear and present danger to himself, herself, or to others.

9 "Person with a developmental disability" means a person  
10 with a disability which is attributable to any other condition  
11 which results in impairment similar to that caused by an  
12 intellectual disability and which requires services similar to  
13 those required by persons with intellectual disabilities. The  
14 disability must originate before the age of 18 years, be  
15 expected to continue indefinitely, and constitute a  
16 substantial disability. This disability results, in the  
17 professional opinion of a physician, clinical psychologist, or  
18 qualified examiner, in significant functional limitations in 3  
19 or more of the following areas of major life activity:

- 20 (i) self-care;  
21 (ii) receptive and expressive language;  
22 (iii) learning;  
23 (iv) mobility; or  
24 (v) self-direction.

25 "Person with an intellectual disability" means a person  
26 with a significantly subaverage general intellectual



1 functioning which exists concurrently with impairment in  
2 adaptive behavior and which originates before the age of 18  
3 years.

4 "Physician" has the meaning as defined in Section 1-120 of  
5 the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code.

6 "Pre-packaged explosive components" has the same meaning  
7 ascribed to the term in Section 24-4.3 of the Criminal Code of  
8 2012.

9 "Qualified examiner" has the meaning provided in Section  
10 1-122 of the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code.

11 "Sanctioned competitive shooting event" means a shooting  
12 contest officially recognized by a national or state shooting  
13 sport association, and includes any sight-in or practice  
14 conducted in conjunction with the event.

15 "School administrator" means the person required to report  
16 under the School Administrator Reporting of Mental Health Clear  
17 and Present Danger Determinations Law.

18 "Stun gun or taser" has the meaning ascribed to it in  
19 Section 24-1 of the Criminal Code of 2012.

20 (Source: P.A. 98-63, eff. 7-9-13; 99-29, eff. 7-10-15; 99-143,  
21 eff. 7-27-15; 99-642, eff. 7-28-16.)

22 (430 ILCS 65/2) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-2)

23 Sec. 2. Firearm Owner's Identification Card required;  
24 exceptions.

25 (a) (1) No person may acquire or possess any firearm,

1 pre-packaged explosive components, stun gun, or taser within  
2 this State without having in his or her possession a Firearm  
3 Owner's Identification Card previously issued in his or her  
4 name by the Department of State Police under the provisions of  
5 this Act.

6 (2) No person may acquire or possess firearm ammunition  
7 within this State without having in his or her possession a  
8 Firearm Owner's Identification Card previously issued in his or  
9 her name by the Department of State Police under the provisions  
10 of this Act.

11 (b) The provisions of this Section regarding the possession  
12 of firearms, firearm ammunition, stun guns, and tasers do not  
13 apply to:

14 (1) United States Marshals, while engaged in the  
15 operation of their official duties;

16 (2) Members of the Armed Forces of the United States or  
17 the National Guard, while engaged in the operation of their  
18 official duties;

19 (3) Federal officials required to carry firearms,  
20 while engaged in the operation of their official duties;

21 (4) Members of bona fide veterans organizations which  
22 receive firearms directly from the armed forces of the  
23 United States, while using the firearms for ceremonial  
24 purposes with blank ammunition;

25 (5) Nonresident hunters during hunting season, with  
26 valid nonresident hunting licenses and while in an area

1 where hunting is permitted; however, at all other times and  
2 in all other places these persons must have their firearms  
3 unloaded and enclosed in a case;

4 (6) Those hunters exempt from obtaining a hunting  
5 license who are required to submit their Firearm Owner's  
6 Identification Card when hunting on Department of Natural  
7 Resources owned or managed sites;

8 (7) Nonresidents while on a firing or shooting range  
9 recognized by the Department of State Police; however,  
10 these persons must at all other times and in all other  
11 places have their firearms unloaded and enclosed in a case;

12 (8) Nonresidents while at a firearm showing or display  
13 recognized by the Department of State Police; however, at  
14 all other times and in all other places these persons must  
15 have their firearms unloaded and enclosed in a case;

16 (9) Nonresidents whose firearms are unloaded and  
17 enclosed in a case;

18 (10) Nonresidents who are currently licensed or  
19 registered to possess a firearm in their resident state;

20 (11) Unemancipated minors while in the custody and  
21 immediate control of their parent or legal guardian or  
22 other person in loco parentis to the minor if the parent or  
23 legal guardian or other person in loco parentis to the  
24 minor has a currently valid Firearm Owner's Identification  
25 Card;

26 (12) Color guards of bona fide veterans organizations

1 or members of bona fide American Legion bands while using  
2 firearms for ceremonial purposes with blank ammunition;

3 (13) Nonresident hunters whose state of residence does  
4 not require them to be licensed or registered to possess a  
5 firearm and only during hunting season, with valid hunting  
6 licenses, while accompanied by, and using a firearm owned  
7 by, a person who possesses a valid Firearm Owner's  
8 Identification Card and while in an area within a  
9 commercial club licensed under the Wildlife Code where  
10 hunting is permitted and controlled, but in no instance  
11 upon sites owned or managed by the Department of Natural  
12 Resources;

13 (14) Resident hunters who are properly authorized to  
14 hunt and, while accompanied by a person who possesses a  
15 valid Firearm Owner's Identification Card, hunt in an area  
16 within a commercial club licensed under the Wildlife Code  
17 where hunting is permitted and controlled;

18 (15) A person who is otherwise eligible to obtain a  
19 Firearm Owner's Identification Card under this Act and is  
20 under the direct supervision of a holder of a Firearm  
21 Owner's Identification Card who is 21 years of age or older  
22 while the person is on a firing or shooting range or is a  
23 participant in a firearms safety and training course  
24 recognized by a law enforcement agency or a national,  
25 statewide shooting sports organization; and

26 (16) Competitive shooting athletes whose competition

1 firearms are sanctioned by the International Olympic  
2 Committee, the International Paralympic Committee, the  
3 International Shooting Sport Federation, or USA Shooting  
4 in connection with such athletes' training for and  
5 participation in shooting competitions at the 2016 Olympic  
6 and Paralympic Games and sanctioned test events leading up  
7 to the 2016 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

8 (c) The provisions of this Section regarding the  
9 acquisition and possession of firearms, pre-packaged explosive  
10 components, firearm ammunition, stun guns, and tasers do not  
11 apply to law enforcement officials of this or any other  
12 jurisdiction, while engaged in the performance ~~operation~~ of  
13 their official duties.

14 (c-5) The provisions of paragraphs (1) and (2) of  
15 subsection (a) of this Section regarding the possession of  
16 firearms and firearm ammunition do not apply to the holder of a  
17 valid concealed carry license issued under the Firearm  
18 Concealed Carry Act who is in physical possession of the  
19 concealed carry license.

20 (c-10) The provisions of paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of  
21 this Section regarding the acquisition and possession of  
22 pre-packaged explosive components do not apply to:

23 (1) Members of the Armed Services or Reserves  
24 Forces of the United States or the Illinois National Guard  
25 while in the performance of their official duty.

26 (2) Persons licensed under State and federal law to

1 manufacture, import, or sell pre-packaged explosive  
2 components, and actually engaged in that business, but only  
3 with respect to activities which are within the lawful  
4 scope of the business, including the manufacture,  
5 transportation, or testing of pre-packaged explosive  
6 components.

7 (3) Contractors or subcontractors engaged in the  
8 manufacture, transport, testing, delivery, transfer or  
9 sale, and lawful experimental activities under a contract  
10 or subcontract for the development and supply of the  
11 product to the United States government or any branch of  
12 the Armed Forces of the United States, when those  
13 activities are necessary and incident to fulfilling the  
14 terms of the contract. The exemption granted under this  
15 paragraph (3) shall also apply to any authorized agent of  
16 any contractor or subcontractor described in this  
17 paragraph (3) who is operating within the scope of his or  
18 her employment, when the activities involving the  
19 pre-packaged explosive components are necessary and  
20 incident to fulfilling the terms of the contract.

21 (4) Sales clerks or retail merchants selling or  
22 transferring pre-packaged explosive components.

23 (d) Any person who becomes a resident of this State, who is  
24 not otherwise prohibited from obtaining, possessing, or using a  
25 firearm or firearm ammunition, shall not be required to have a  
26 Firearm Owner's Identification Card to possess firearms or

1 firearms ammunition until 60 calendar days after he or she  
2 obtains an Illinois driver's license or Illinois  
3 Identification Card.

4 (Source: P.A. 99-29, eff. 7-10-15.)

5 (430 ILCS 65/3) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-3)

6 Sec. 3. (a) Except as provided in Section 3a, no person may  
7 knowingly transfer, or cause to be transferred, any firearm,  
8 pre-packaged explosive components, firearm ammunition, stun  
9 gun, or taser to any person within this State unless the  
10 transferee with whom he deals displays either: (1) a currently  
11 valid Firearm Owner's Identification Card which has previously  
12 been issued in his or her name by the Department of State  
13 Police under the provisions of this Act; or (2) a currently  
14 valid license to carry a concealed firearm which has previously  
15 been issued in his or her name by the Department of State  
16 Police under the Firearm Concealed Carry Act. In addition, all  
17 firearm, stun gun, and taser transfers by federally licensed  
18 firearm dealers are subject to Section 3.1.

19 (a-5) Any person who is not a federally licensed firearm  
20 dealer and who desires to transfer or sell a firearm while that  
21 person is on the grounds of a gun show must, before selling or  
22 transferring the firearm, request the Department of State  
23 Police to conduct a background check on the prospective  
24 recipient of the firearm in accordance with Section 3.1.

25 (a-10) Notwithstanding item (2) of subsection (a) of this

1 Section, any person who is not a federally licensed firearm  
2 dealer and who desires to transfer or sell a firearm or  
3 firearms to any person who is not a federally licensed firearm  
4 dealer shall, before selling or transferring the firearms,  
5 contact the Department of State Police with the transferee's or  
6 purchaser's Firearm Owner's Identification Card number to  
7 determine the validity of the transferee's or purchaser's  
8 Firearm Owner's Identification Card. This subsection shall not  
9 be effective until January 1, 2014. The Department of State  
10 Police may adopt rules concerning the implementation of this  
11 subsection. The Department of State Police shall provide the  
12 seller or transferor an approval number if the purchaser's  
13 Firearm Owner's Identification Card is valid. Approvals issued  
14 by the Department for the purchase of a firearm pursuant to  
15 this subsection are valid for 30 days from the date of issue.

16 (a-15) The provisions of subsection (a-10) of this Section  
17 do not apply to:

18 (1) transfers that occur at the place of business of a  
19 federally licensed firearm dealer, if the federally  
20 licensed firearm dealer conducts a background check on the  
21 prospective recipient of the firearm in accordance with  
22 Section 3.1 of this Act and follows all other applicable  
23 federal, State, and local laws as if he or she were the  
24 seller or transferor of the firearm, although the dealer is  
25 not required to accept the firearm into his or her  
26 inventory. The purchaser or transferee may be required by



1 the federally licensed firearm dealer to pay a fee not to  
2 exceed \$10 per firearm, which the dealer may retain as  
3 compensation for performing the functions required under  
4 this paragraph, plus the applicable fees authorized by  
5 Section 3.1;

6 (2) transfers as a bona fide gift to the transferor's  
7 husband, wife, son, daughter, stepson, stepdaughter,  
8 father, mother, stepfather, stepmother, brother, sister,  
9 nephew, niece, uncle, aunt, grandfather, grandmother,  
10 grandson, granddaughter, father-in-law, mother-in-law,  
11 son-in-law, or daughter-in-law;

12 (3) transfers by persons acting pursuant to operation  
13 of law or a court order;

14 (4) transfers on the grounds of a gun show under  
15 subsection (a-5) of this Section;

16 (5) the delivery of a firearm by its owner to a  
17 gunsmith for service or repair, the return of the firearm  
18 to its owner by the gunsmith, or the delivery of a firearm  
19 by a gunsmith to a federally licensed firearms dealer for  
20 service or repair and the return of the firearm to the  
21 gunsmith;

22 (6) temporary transfers that occur while in the home of  
23 the unlicensed transferee, if the unlicensed transferee is  
24 not otherwise prohibited from possessing firearms and the  
25 unlicensed transferee reasonably believes that possession  
26 of the firearm is necessary to prevent imminent death or

1 great bodily harm to the unlicensed transferee;

2 (7) transfers to a law enforcement or corrections  
3 agency or a law enforcement or corrections officer acting  
4 within the course and scope of his or her official duties;

5 (8) transfers of firearms that have been rendered  
6 permanently inoperable to a nonprofit historical society,  
7 museum, or institutional collection; and

8 (9) transfers to a person who is exempt from the  
9 requirement of possessing a Firearm Owner's Identification  
10 Card under Section 2 of this Act.

11 (a-20) The Department of State Police shall develop an  
12 Internet-based system for individuals to determine the  
13 validity of a Firearm Owner's Identification Card prior to the  
14 sale or transfer of a firearm. The Department shall have the  
15 Internet-based system completed and available for use by July  
16 1, 2015. The Department shall adopt rules not inconsistent with  
17 this Section to implement this system.

18 (b) Any person within this State who transfers or causes to  
19 be transferred any firearm, pre-packaged explosive components,  
20 stun gun, or taser shall keep a record of the ~~such~~ transfer for  
21 a period of 10 years from the date of transfer. The ~~Such~~ record  
22 shall contain the date of the transfer; the description, serial  
23 number or other information identifying the firearm,  
24 pre-packaged explosive components, stun gun, or taser if no  
25 serial number is available; and, if the transfer was completed  
26 within this State, the transferee's Firearm Owner's

1 Identification Card number and any approval number or  
2 documentation provided by the Department of State Police under  
3 ~~pursuant to~~ subsection (a-10) of this Section. On or after  
4 January 1, 2006, the record shall contain the date of  
5 application for transfer of the firearm. On demand of a peace  
6 officer the ~~such~~ transferor shall produce for inspection the  
7 ~~such~~ record of transfer. If the transfer or sale took place at  
8 a gun show, the record shall include the unique identification  
9 number. Failure to record the unique identification number or  
10 approval number is a petty offense.

11 (b-5) Any resident may purchase ammunition from a person  
12 within or outside of Illinois if shipment is by United States  
13 mail or by a private express carrier authorized by federal law  
14 to ship ammunition. Any resident purchasing ammunition within  
15 or outside the State of Illinois must provide the seller with a  
16 copy of his or her valid Firearm Owner's Identification Card or  
17 valid concealed carry license and either his or her Illinois  
18 driver's license or Illinois State Identification Card prior to  
19 the shipment of the ammunition. The ammunition may be shipped  
20 only to an address on either of those 2 documents.

21 (c) The provisions of this Section regarding the transfer  
22 of firearm ammunition shall not apply to those persons  
23 specified in paragraph (b) of Section 2 of this Act.

24 (Source: P.A. 98-508, eff. 8-19-13; 99-29, eff. 7-10-15.)

25 Section 10. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by adding

1 Section 24-4.3 as follows:

2 (720 ILCS 5/24-4.3 new)

3 Sec. 24-4.3. Unlawful sale or delivery of pre-packaged  
4 explosive components.

5 (a) A person commits unlawful sale or delivery of  
6 pre-packaged explosive components when he or she knowingly does  
7 any of the following:

8 (1) Sells or gives pre-packaged explosive components  
9 to a person who is disqualified under the Firearm Owners  
10 Identification Card Act.

11 (2) Sells or transfers pre-packaged explosive  
12 components to a person who does not display to the seller  
13 or transferor of the pre-packaged explosive components a  
14 currently valid Firearm Owner's Identification Card that  
15 has previously been issued in the transferee's name by the  
16 Department of State Police under the Firearm Owners  
17 Identification Card Act. This paragraph (2) does not apply  
18 to the transfer of pre-packaged explosive components to a  
19 person who is exempt from the requirement of possessing a  
20 Firearm Owner's Identification Card under Section 2 of the  
21 Firearm Owners Identification Card Act. For the purposes of  
22 this Section, a currently valid Firearm Owner's  
23 Identification Card means a Firearm Owner's Identification  
24 Card that has not expired.

25 (3) Sells or gives pre-packaged explosive components

1 while engaged in the business of selling pre-packaged  
2 explosive components at wholesale or retail without being  
3 licensed as a federal firearms dealer under Section 923 of  
4 the federal Gun Control Act of 1968 (18 U.S.C. 923). In  
5 this paragraph (3), a person "engaged in the business"  
6 means a person who devotes time, attention, and labor to  
7 engaging in the activity as a regular course of trade or  
8 business with the principal objective of livelihood and  
9 profit.

10 (b) For the purposes of this Section, "pre-packaged  
11 explosive components" means a pre-packaged product containing  
12 2 or more unmixed, commercially manufactured chemical  
13 substances that are not independently classified as explosives  
14 but which, when mixed or combined, results in an explosive  
15 material subject to regulation by the federal Bureau of  
16 Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives under Title 27 CFR  
17 Part 555.

18 (c) All sellers or transferors who have complied with the  
19 requirements of this Section shall not be liable for damages in  
20 any civil action arising from the use or misuse by the  
21 transferee of the pre-packaged explosive components  
22 transferred, except for willful or wanton misconduct on the  
23 part of the seller or transferor.

24 (d) Sentence. Any person who is convicted of unlawful sale  
25 or delivery of pre-packaged explosive components commits a  
26 Class 4 felony.

1           Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,  
2    2018.