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1	AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1349	
2	AMENDMENT NO Amend H	ouse Bill 1349 by replacing
3	everything after the enacting claus	se with the following:
4	"Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by adding	
5	Section 24-9.5 as follows:	
6	(720 ILCS 5/24-9.5 new)	
7	Sec. 24-9.5. Handgun safety devices.	
8	(a) It is unlawful for a person licensed as a federal	
9	firearms dealer under Section 923 of the federal Gun Control	
10	Act of 1968 (18 U.S.C. 923) to offer for sale, sell, or	
11	transfer a handgun to a person not licensed under that Act,	
12	unless he or she offers for sale, sells, or includes with the	
13	handgun a device or mechanism, other than the firearm safety,	
14	designed to render the handgun	temporarily inoperable or
15	inaccessible. This includes but is	not limited to:
16	(1) An external device that	tis:
17	(i) attached to the	e handgun with a key or
18	combination lock; and	
19	(ii) designed to prevent the handgun from being	
20	discharged unless the device has been deactivated.	
21	(2) An integrated mechan	ical safety, disabling, or
22	locking device that is:	
23	(i) built into the handgun; and	
24	(ii) designed to prev	vent the handgun from being

1	discharged unless the device has been deactivated.	
2	(b) Sentence. A person who violates this Section is guilty	
3	of a Class C misdemeanor and shall be fined not less than	
4	\$1,000. A second or subsequent violation of this Section is a	
5	Class A misdemeanor.	
6	(c) For the purposes of this Section, "handgun" has the	
7	meaning ascribed to it in clause (h)(2) of subsection (A) of	
8	Section 24-3 of this Code.	
9	(d) This Section does not apply to:	
10	(1) the purchase, sale, or transportation of a handgun	
11	to or by a federally licensed firearms dealer or	
12	manufacturer that provides or services a handgun for:	
13	(i) personnel of any unit of the federal	
14	government;	
15	(ii) members of the armed forces of the United	
16	States or the National Guard;	
17	(iii) law enforcement personnel of the State or any	
18	local law enforcement agency in the State while acting	
19	within the scope of their official duties; and	
20	(iv) an organization that is required by federal	
21	law governing its specific business or activity to	
22	maintain handguns and applicable ammunition;	
23	(2) a firearm modified to be permanently inoperative;	
24	(3) the sale or transfer of a handgun by a federally	
25	licensed firearms dealer or manufacturer described in item	
26	(1) of this subsection (d);	
27	(4) the sale or transfer of a handgun by a federally	
28	licensed firearms dealer or manufacturer to a lawful	
29	customer outside the State; or	
30	(5) an antique firearm.".	