98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 1/16/2013, by Sen. Dan Kotowski

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

430 ILCS 65/8 720 ILCS 5/24-4.1 new from Ch. 38, par. 83-8

Amends the Firearm Owners Identification Card Act. Provides that the Department of State Police may revoke and seize a Firearm Owner's Identification Card previously issued under the Act of a person who fails to report the loss or theft of a handgun a second time to the local law enforcement agency within 72 hours after obtaining knowledge of the second loss or theft. Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Provides that if a person who possesses a valid Firearm Owner's Identification Card and who possesses or acquires a handgun thereafter loses or misplaces the handgun, or if the handgun is stolen from the person, the person must report the loss or theft to the local law enforcement agency within 72 hours after obtaining knowledge of the loss or theft. Effective immediately.

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CORRECTIONAL BUDGET AND IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

Section 5. The Firearm Owners Identification Card Act is
amended by changing Section 8 as follows:

6 (430 ILCS 65/8) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-8)

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Sec. 8. Grounds for denial and revocation.

8 <u>(A)</u> The Department of State Police has authority to deny an 9 application for or to revoke and seize a Firearm Owner's 10 Identification Card previously issued under this Act only if 11 the Department finds that the applicant or the person to whom 12 such card was issued is or was at the time of issuance:

(a) A person under 21 years of age who has been convicted
of a misdemeanor other than a traffic offense or adjudged
delinquent;

(b) A person under 21 years of age who does not have the written consent of his parent or guardian to acquire and possess firearms and firearm ammunition, or whose parent or guardian has revoked such written consent, or where such parent or guardian does not qualify to have a Firearm Owner's Identification Card;

(c) A person convicted of a felony under the laws of thisor any other jurisdiction;

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(d) A person addicted to narcotics;

2 (e) A person who has been a patient of a mental institution
3 within the past 5 years or has been adjudicated as a mental
4 defective;

5 (f) A person whose mental condition is of such a nature 6 that it poses a clear and present danger to the applicant, any 7 other person or persons or the community;

8 For the purposes of this Section, "mental condition" means 9 a state of mind manifested by violent, suicidal, threatening or 10 assaultive behavior.

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(g) A person who is intellectually disabled;

12 (h) A person who intentionally makes a false statement in13 the Firearm Owner's Identification Card application;

14 (i) An alien who is unlawfully present in the United States15 under the laws of the United States;

16 (i-5) An alien who has been admitted to the United States 17 under a non-immigrant visa (as that term is defined in Section 18 101(a)(26) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 19 1101(a)(26))), except that this subsection (i-5) does not apply 20 to any alien who has been lawfully admitted to the United 21 States under a non-immigrant visa if that alien is:

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(1) admitted to the United States for lawful hunting or sporting purposes;

24 (2) an official representative of a foreign government25 who is:

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(A) accredited to the United States Government or

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1 the Government's mission to an international 2 organization having its headquarters in the United 3 States; or

4 (B) en route to or from another country to which
5 that alien is accredited;

6 (3) an official of a foreign government or 7 distinguished foreign visitor who has been so designated by 8 the Department of State;

9 (4) a foreign law enforcement officer of a friendly 10 foreign government entering the United States on official 11 business; or

12 (5) one who has received a waiver from the Attorney 13 General of the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 14 922(y)(3);

15 (j) (Blank);

16 (k) A person who has been convicted within the past 5 years 17 of battery, assault, aggravated assault, violation of an order 18 of protection, or a substantially similar offense in another 19 jurisdiction, in which a firearm was used or possessed;

(1) A person who has been convicted of domestic battery, aggravated domestic battery, or a substantially similar offense in another jurisdiction committed before, on or after January 1, 2012 (the effective date of Public Act 97-158). If the applicant or person who has been previously issued a Firearm Owner's Identification Card under this Act knowingly and intelligently waives the right to have an offense described

in this paragraph (1) tried by a jury, and by guilty plea or 1 2 otherwise, results in a conviction for an offense in which a domestic relationship is not a required element of the offense 3 4 but in which a determination of the applicability of 18 U.S.C. 5 922(q)(9) is made under Section 112A-11.1 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963, an entry by the court of a judgment 6 7 of conviction for that offense shall be grounds for denying an application for and for revoking and seizing a Firearm Owner's 8 9 Identification Card previously issued to the person under this 10 Act:

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(m) (Blank);

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(n) A person who is prohibited from acquiring or possessing firearms or firearm ammunition by any Illinois State statute or by federal law;

15 (o) A minor subject to a petition filed under Section 5-520 16 of the Juvenile Court Act of 1987 alleging that the minor is a 17 delinquent minor for the commission of an offense that if 18 committed by an adult would be a felony;

(p) An adult who had been adjudicated a delinquent minor under the Juvenile Court Act of 1987 for the commission of an offense that if committed by an adult would be a felony; or

(q) A person who is not a resident of the State of
Illinois, except as provided in subsection (a-10) of Section 4.
(B) The Department of State Police may revoke and seize a
Firearm Owner's Identification Card previously issued under
this Act of a person who fails to report the loss or theft of a

| handgun a second time to the local law enforcement agency |
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| within 72 hours after obtaining knowledge of the second loss of |
| theft. |
| (Source: P.A. 96-701, eff. 1-1-10; 97-158, eff. 1-1-12; 97-227, |
| eff. 1-1-12; 97-813, eff. 7-13-12; 97-1131, eff. 1-1-13.) |
| Section 10. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by adding |
| Section 24-4.1 as follows: |
| (720 ILCS 5/24-4.1 new) |
| Sec. 24-4.1. Report of lost or stolen handguns. |
| (a) If a person who possesses a valid Firearm Owner's |
| Identification Card and who possesses or acquires a handgu |
| thereafter loses or misplaces the handgun, or if the handgun is |
| stolen from the person, the person must report the loss of |
| theft to the local law enforcement agency within 72 hours after |
| obtaining knowledge of the loss or theft. |
| (b) Sentence. A person who violates this Section is guilty |
| of a petty offense for a first violation. A second of |
| subsequent violation of this Section is a Class A misdemeanor. |