



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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LCO No. 9639



Offered by:  
SEN. SAMPSON, 16<sup>th</sup> Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. 6667

File No. 841

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**"AN ACT ADDRESSING GUN VIOLENCE."**

1 Strike section 20 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu  
2 thereof:

3 "Sec. 20. Section 53a-217a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2023*):

5 (a) [A] Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, a person  
6 is guilty of criminally negligent storage of a firearm when such person  
7 violates the provisions of section 29-37i, as amended by this act, and [a  
8 minor or, a resident of the premises who is ineligible to possess a firearm  
9 under state or federal law or who poses a risk of imminent personal  
10 injury to himself or herself or to other individuals,] another person  
11 obtains the firearm and causes the injury or death of such [minor,  
12 resident] person or any other person. [For the purposes of this section,  
13 "minor" means any person under the age of eighteen years.]

14 (b) The provisions of this section shall not apply if the [minor] person  
15 obtains the firearm as a result of an unlawful entry to any premises by

16 any person and, if such firearm is stolen, such firearm is reported stolen  
17 pursuant to the provisions of section 53-202g, as amended by this act.

18 [(c) Criminally negligent storage of a firearm is a class D felony.]"

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 20	October 1, 2023	53a-217a