
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1583 Session of
2013

INTRODUCED BY HARHART, V. BROWN, R. MILLER, SCHLOSSBERG,
MILLARD, KORTZ, GROVE, MILNE, WATSON AND QUINN, JUNE 25, 2013

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, JUNE 25, 2013

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for duties of
3 Pennsylvania State Police.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 6111.1(f) of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a paragraph to read:
8 § 6111.1. Pennsylvania State Police.

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10 (f) Notification of mental health adjudication, treatment,
11 commitment, drug use or addiction.--

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13 (4) Notwithstanding any statute to the contrary, judges
14 of the courts of common pleas shall, within 15 days of an
15 adjudication or involuntary commitment, give written notice
16 to any individual identified in paragraph (1)(i) of the
17 following:

18 (i) The individual is prohibited from possession of

1 firearms under the provisions of this chapter.

2 (ii) The individual has a reasonable period of time,
3 not to exceed 60 days from the date of the imposition of
4 the disability, in which to sell or transfer the
5 individual's firearms to another eligible person who is
6 not a member of the prohibited person's household.

7 (iii) The individual's firearm rights may be
8 restored under section 6105(f)(1) (relating to persons
9 not to possess, use, manufacture, control, sell or
10 transfer firearms).

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12 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 90 days.