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S.169 (Vetoed). Crimes and criminal procedures; firearms

An act relating to firearms procedures

This bill would have enacted several measures related to firearms procedures, including: repealing the sunset of the exception to the magazine ban for devices transported into Vermont by a resident of another state for a shooting competition and expanding the exception to include Vermonters as well as out of state residents; prohibiting the transfer of a hand gun until 24 hours after the completion of the background check required by federal or state law; and clarifying that a health care provider can disclose patient information to a law enforcement officer for purposes of obtaining an Extreme Risk Protection Order if the health care provider reasonably believes that the patient poses an extreme risk of causing harm to himself or herself or another person by purchasing, possessing, or receiving a dangerous weapon or by having a dangerous weapon.

Vetoed by the Governor: June 10, 2019

Effective Date: Not Applicable