BILL AS INTRODUCED
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3 Calais, Anthony of Barre City, Black of Essex, Bluemle of

4 Burlington, Brady of Williston, Briglin of Thetford, Brumsted

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6 of Rockingham, Hooper of Burlington, Houghton of Essex,

7 Kitzmiller of Montpelier, Masland of Thetford, Squirrell of

8 Underhill, Stebbins of Burlington, Townsend of South

9 Burlington, Walz of Barre City, Wood of Waterbury, and

10 Yantachka of Charlotte

11 Referred to Committee on

12 Date:

13 Subject: Criminal procedures; firearms; waiting period

14 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require a 48-hour waiting period for most firearms transfers.

16 An act relating to a 48-hour waiting period for firearms transfers
It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

Sec. 1. 13 V.S.A. § 4019a is added to read:

§ 4019a. FIREARMS TRANSFERS; WAITING PERIOD

(a) A person shall not transfer a firearm to another person until 48 hours after the completion of the background check required by 18 U.S.C. § 922(s) or section 4019 of this title.

(b) A person who transfers a firearm to another person in violation of subsection (a) of this section shall be imprisoned not more than one year or fined not more than $500.00, or both.

(c) This section shall not apply to a firearm transfer that does not require a background check under 18 U.S.C. § 922(s) or section 4019 of this title.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

This act shall take effect on passage.