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Introduced by Representatives Grad of Moretown, Pugh of South Burlington, and Colburn of Burlington

Referred to Committee on

Subject: Crimes; persons subject to final relief from abuse orders; possession of firearms

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to prohibit the possession of firearms by persons subject to final relief from abuse orders.

An act relating to possession of firearms by persons subject to final relief from abuse orders

It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

Sec. 1. 13 V.S.A. § 4017a is added to read:

§ 4017a. PERSONS SUBJECT TO FINAL RELIEF FROM ABUSE ORDERS; PROHIBITION ON POSSESSION OF FIREARMS

(a) A person shall not possess, ship, transport, or receive a firearm if the person is the subject of a final relief from abuse order issued pursuant to 15 V.S.A. § 1104.

(b) A person who violates this section shall be imprisoned not more than two years or fined not more than $1,000.00, or both.
Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

This act shall take effect on passage.