

HB 1637 -- Possession of Firearms

Sponsor: Parker

This bill allows a law enforcement officer to remove any firearm that is found at the scene of an alleged act of domestic violence. Law enforcement officers must inform the firearm owner of the process for retaking possession of the firearm. Sheriffs are required to deny or revoke a permit to acquire or purchase a concealable weapon to any applicant who has been convicted of domestic assault or who is the subject of an order of protection.

The bill prohibits any person from shipping, transporting, possessing, or receiving any firearm or ammunition from an individual who is subject to a court order of protection or has been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence.