FIRST REGULAR SESSION HOUSE BILL NO. 176

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MAY.

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 571, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the purchase of a firearm, with penalty provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 571, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be 2 known as section 571.084, to read as follows:

571.084. 1. Beginning January 1, 2016, there shall be a mandatory three-day waiting period, excluding weekends and legal holidays, between the purchase and the delivery at retail of any firearm. Such three-day waiting period shall not apply to firearms being purchased by concealed carry permit holders under sections 571.101 to 571.126.

5 2. Prior to the sale of any firearm at retail, a purchaser of a firearm shall be required to view a video on gun violence prior to any sale of a firearm. The retailer shall 6 make such video available to the purchaser for viewing. Such video shall be approved by 7 8 the department of public safety. The department may promulgate rules to implement the provisions of this subsection. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in 9 10 section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, 11 12 if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of 13 the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay 14 the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted 15 16 after August 28, 2015, shall be invalid and void.

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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3. Records of all firearms sales at retail shall be available for inspection by any law
enforcement agency during normal business hours of the retailer to ensure compliance
with the provisions of this section.

- 4. Any retailer, or any employee or agent of a retailer, who violates the provisions
 of this section is guilty of a class D felony.
- 5. Any purchaser who obtains delivery of a firearm at retail by fraud, misrepresentation, or false pretense is guilty of a class D felony until December 31, 2016,

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24 and a class E felony beginning January 1, 2017.