

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 183

*Approved* April 15, 1994

RESOLVED, that the City Council endorses and urges passage by the General Assembly of Senate Bill 94-S 2902 and House Bill 94-H 9226 Relating to Criminal Procedure - Larceny of a firearm, in substantially the form attached.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
APR 7 1994  
READ AND PASSED  
*James H. Rosenthal*  
PRES.  
*Richard L. Clement*  
CLERK

APPROVED  
APR 15 1994  
*Curran A. Cianci*  
MAYOR

IN CITY COUNCIL

May 17, 1994

FIRST READING

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

~~FINANCE~~

Michael L. Clevett CLERK

*Legislative Matters*

THE COMMITTEE ON

*Legislative Matters*

Approves Passage of

The Within Resolution

*Barbara A. Cairns*

Chairman

3/31/94

*Clue*

*Councilman Plevin, Lombardi and Lyboggi (By request)*

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RS1201  
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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

94-S 2902

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1994

A N A C T

RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - LARCENY  
OF A FIREARM

94 - S - 2902

Introduced By: Senators Goodwin,  
Ruggerio and Kells

Date Introduced: February 17, 1994

Referred To: SEenate Committee on  
Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 11-47-5.1 of the General Laws in Chapter  
2 11-47 entitled "Weapons" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 11-47-5.1. Larceny of a firearm. -- (a) Every person who shall  
4 steal any firearm shall be deemed guilty of larceny. Firearm as util-  
5 ized in this section only shall not apply to an air rifle, air pistol,  
6 "blank gun" or "BB gun." Every person violating the provisions of this  
7 section shall be punished, upon conviction, by imprisonment for not  
8 less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years; and for penalties  
9 provided in this section said person shall not be afforded the provi-  
10 sions of suspension or deferment of sentence nor of probation.

11 (b) No person shall steal any firearm as defined in this section  
12 and then sell, lend, or transfer such firearm or firearms. Any person  
13 convicted of violating the provisions of this subsection shall be pun-  
14 ished by imprisonment for not less than ten (10) years nor more than  
15 twenty (20) years, and further provided that said sentence shall be  
16 consecutive to any other sentence said person may receive or is  
17 serving. Parole will also not be afforded, except for an adjustment of

# 94-S 2902

- 1 not more than fifteen (15) percent for good behavior.  
2 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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RS1201  
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EXPLANATION  
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
OF  
AN ACT  
RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - LARCENY  
OF A FIREARM

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- 1 This act eliminates parole for sentences involving larceny  
2 of a firearm.  
3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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S T A T E   O F   R H O D E   I S L A N D

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

94-H 9226

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1994

A N   A C T

RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - LARCENY  
OF A FIREARM

94-H 9226

Introduced By: Reps. Palangio, Ajello,  
Ginolfi, Lima, S. Smith

Date Introduced: February 17, 1994

Referred To: Committee on Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Section 11-47-5.1 of the General Laws in Chapter  
2   11-47 entitled "Weapons" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3           11-47-5.1. Larceny of a firearm. -- (a) Every person who shall  
4   steal any firearm shall be deemed guilty of larceny. Firearm as util-  
5   ized in this section only shall not apply to an air rifle, air pistol,  
6   "blank gun" or "BB gun." Every person violating the provisions of this  
7   section shall be punished, upon conviction, by imprisonment for not  
8   less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years; and for penalties  
9   provided in this section said person shall not be afforded the provi-  
10   sions of suspension or deferment of sentence nor of probation.

11           (b) No person shall steal any firearm as defined in this section  
12   and then sell, lend, or transfer such firearm or firearms. Any person  
13   convicted of violating the provisions of this subsection shall be pun-  
14   ished by imprisonment for not less than ten (10) years nor more than  
15   twenty (20) years, and further provided that said sentence shall be  
16   consecutive to any other sentence said person may receive or is  
17   serving. Parole will also not be afforded, except for an adjustment of

94-H 9226

1 not more than fifteen (15) percent for good behavior.

2 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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RS1203  
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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

AN ACT

RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - LARCENY  
OF A FIREARM

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1 This act eliminates parole for sentences involving larceny

2 of a firearm.

3 This act would take effect upon passage.

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 184

*Approved* April 15, 1994

RESOLVED, that the City Council endorses and urges passage by the General Assembly of Senate Bill 94-S 2903 and House Bill 94-H 9222 Relating to Criminal Offenses - Weapons, in substantially the form attached.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
APR 7 1994  
READ AND PASSED  
*James P. Smith*  
PRES.  
*Richard L. Clement*  
CLERK

APPROVED  
APR 15 1994  
*Vincent A. Cianci*  
MAYOR

IN CITY COUNCIL

READ AND PASSED

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CLERK

IN CITY COUNCIL

Mar 17, 1994

FIRST READING

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

*Legislative Matter*

*Michael R. Clement* CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

*Legislative Matter*

Approves Passage of

The Within Resolution

*As Amended*

*Barbara A. Davis*

3/31/94

Chairman

Clerk

*Councilman Flavin, Lombardi and Gliggi (By request)*



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IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1994

94-S 2903

A N   A C T

RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

94 - S - 2903

Introduced By:     Senators Goodwin,  
                         Ruggerio and Kells

Date Introduced:   February 17, 1994

Referred To:        Senate Committee on  
                         Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1            SECTION 1. Section 11-47-5 of the General Laws in Chapter 11-47  
2            entitled "Weapons" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3            11-47-5. Criminals and fugitives prohibited from possession. -

4            No person who has been convicted in this state or elsewhere of a crime  
5            of violence or who is a fugitive from justice shall purchase, own,  
6            carry, transport or have in his possession or under his control any  
7            firearm. Every person violating the provisions of this section shall  
8            upon conviction, be punished by imprisonment for not less than two (2)  
9            nor more than ten (10) years; and for penalties provided in this  
10           section he shall not be afforded the benefit of suspension or defer-  
11           ment of sentence nor of probation. Parole will also not be afforded,  
12           except for an adjustment of not more than fifteen percent (15%) of  
13           good behavior.

14           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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94-S 2903

EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

AN ACT

RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

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1. This act would preclude parole for those possessing a fire-
2. arm after conviction of a crime of violence. An adjustment for
3. good behavior would be allowed.
4. The act would take effect upon passage.

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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1994

94-H 9222

A N A C T

RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

94-H 9222

Introduced By: Reps. Ajello, Moura,  
Lima, S. Smith, Ginolfi

Date Introduced: February 17, 1994

Referred To: Committee on Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 11-47-5 of the General Laws in Chapter 11-47  
2 entitled "Weapons" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 11-47-5. Criminals and fugitives prohibited from possession. -  
4 No person who has been convicted in this state or elsewhere of a crime  
5 of violence or who is a fugitive from justice shall purchase, own,  
6 carry, transport or have in his possession or under his control any  
7 firearm. Every person violating the provisions of this section shall  
8 upon conviction, be punished by imprisonment for not less than two (2)  
9 nor more than ten (10) years; and for penalties provided in this  
10 section he shall not be afforded the benefit of suspension or defer-  
11 ment of sentence nor of probation. Parole will also not be afforded,  
12 except for an adjustment of not more than fifteen percent (15%) of  
13 good behavior.

14 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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94-H 9222

EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

AN ACT

RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

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- 1        This act would preclude parole for those possessing a fire-
- 2        arm after conviction of a crime of violence. An adjustment for
- 3        good behavior would be allowed.
- 4        The act would take effect upon passage.

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