

YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

House Bill Number 383

Legislative Action:

Introduced by: Representative Kaci Kukowski

House Committee: _____

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House: _____

Senate Committee: _____

Delegation: Miles City

Senate: _____

Governor: _____

Referred to Committee: House Health & Human Services Committee

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "GUN REGISTRATION"

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3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE MONTANA YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE:

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5 **Section 1:** Definition- Firearm: Any weapon, whether loaded or unloaded, that is designed to
6 expel a projectile by the action of an explosive and includes any such weapon commonly
7 referred to as a handgun, pistol, revolver, gun, machine gun, or shotgun.

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9 **Section 2:** Any person acquiring a firearm for the first time must apply for a permit. A separate
10 permit will be necessary for each gun the individual wishes to acquire. Before being granted a
11 permit to purchase a firearm, the individual must successfully complete a hunter education class,
12 or a gun safety course conducted by an instructor certified by a state or federal agency, or their
13 designee.

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15 **Section 3:** Permits will be denied for the following classes of people: Those convicted of a crime
16 punishable by imprisonment; Fugitives from justice; Persons committed to mental institutions;
17 Illegal aliens; Individuals dishonorably discharged from the military; Persons subject to a court

18 order restraining a person from harassing, stalking, or threatening an intimate partner or child of
19 the intimate partner; or, Those convicted of a domestic violence misdemeanor.

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21 **Section 4:** This bill shall go into effect immediately upon passage.

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