

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5531



Referred to Committee on FINANCE, REVENUE AND BONDING

Introduced by: REP. GILCHREST, 18th Dist.

## AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TAX ON AMMUNITION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to establish a tax on the
- 2 purchase of ammunition by a business for sale at retail, at the rate of two
- 3 cents per round for bullets that are .22 caliber or less and five cents per
- 4 round for all other ammunition. The revenue from such tax shall be used
- 5 by the Office of Policy and Management to provide grants-in-aid to
- 6 qualifying gun violence prevention programs.

## Statement of Purpose:

To establish a tax on the purchase of ammunition for sale at retail to increase funding for gun violence prevention programs.