



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5487**

LCO No. 1529



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

REP. LUXENBERG, 12<sup>th</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING LEGAL LIABILITY FOR THE OWNER OF A FIREARM WHOSE FIREARM IS USED IN THE COMMISSION OF A FELONY OR MISDEMEANOR.**

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

- 1 That title 52 of the general statutes be amended to provide that a civil
- 2 action may be brought against a gun owner whose firearm is used in the
- 3 commission of a misdemeanor or felony and that a prevailing plaintiff
- 4 in such action shall be entitled to damages, costs and attorney's fees.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide that a civil action may be brought against a gun owner whose firearm is used in the commission of a misdemeanor or felony and that a prevailing plaintiff in such action shall be entitled to damages, costs and attorney's fees.