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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2022

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RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

Introduced By: Senators Anderson, and Calkin

Date Introduced: March 10, 2022

Referred To: Senate Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 11-47-58 of the General Laws in Chapter 11-47 entitled "Weapons"
2 is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **11-47-58. Firearms -- State preemption.**

4 The control of firearms, ammunition, or their component parts regarding their ownership,
5 possession, transportation, carrying, transfer, sale, purchase, purchase delay, licensing, registration,
6 and taxation shall rest solely with the state, except as otherwise provided in this chapter; provided,
7 however, the city of Warwick shall have the authority to prohibit the sales of firearms within five
8 hundred feet (500') of any school or daycare facility.

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

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EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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- 1 This act would permit the city of Warwick to prohibit the sale of firearms within five
- 2 hundred feet (500') of any school or daycare facility.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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