

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 60th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB3301
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Research Analysis

The committee substitute to HB 3301 removes the definitions of "sawed-off shotgun" and "sawed-off rifle" from the definitions in the Definitions of Firearms Act. The measure provides that a person in possession of a rifle or shotgun not in compliance is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of up to \$1,000, imprisonment in the county jail for up to 1 year, or both fine and imprisonment. The measure provides that it is permissible to own or possess a firearm or suppressor lawfully possessed pursuant to the National Firearms Act.

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Fiscal Analysis

The POLREC to HB3301 modifies firearms definitions and reduces the penalty for possession of certain non-compliant firearms from a Class D2 felony to a misdemeanor punishable by up to one year in county jail and a \$1,000 fine. Any resulting change to the revenues collected by the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) or change in the costs incurred by the Department of Corrections (DOC) are expected to be immaterial and/or absorbed by the agencies. Therefore, this measure in its current form is anticipated to be budget neutral.

The CS adopts the POLREC.

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Other Considerations

None.