

HB1646/403126/1

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AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1646, AS AMENDED
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1 of the bill, in line 15, after “circumstances;” insert “requiring a law enforcement agency executing a certain seizure to ensure that any seized firearms meet certain requirements; providing that certain firearms must be returned to their owner under certain circumstances;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2 of the House Judiciary Committee Amendments (HB1646/622411/1), in line 6 of Amendment No. 2, after “**(H)**” insert “**(1)**”; in the same line, strike “**ON**” and substitute “**SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, ON**”; and in line 14, after “**WARRANT**” insert “.

(2) (I) A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY THAT EXECUTES A WARRANT UNDER THIS SUBSECTION SHALL ENSURE THAT ANY FIREARM SEIZED:

1. IS OWNED BY OR IN THE POSSESSION OF THE PERSON SUBJECT TO THE WARRANT;

2. IS LISTED IN THE WARRANT; OR

3. IS NOT A FIREARM THAT A PERSON MAY LAWFULLY POSSESS.

(II) A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY THAT SEIZES A FIREARM THAT DOES NOT MEET ONE OF THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I)

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OF THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL RETURN THE FIREARM TO THE FIREARM'S RIGHTFUL OWNER".