



SENATE BILL 34

By Campbell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
Chapter 17, Part 13, relative to firearms.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1316, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(s)

(1) It is an offense to knowingly give, sell, lend, deliver, or otherwise transfer a firearm to a person when the transferor knows or reasonably should know that the person receiving the firearm is prohibited from purchasing or possessing a firearm under state or federal law.

(2) A violation of this subsection (s) is a Class A misdemeanor.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2025, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to transfers of firearms made on or after such date.

Amendment No. 1 to SB0034

Gardenhire
Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 34*

House Bill No. 599

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1316(q)(2), is amended by deleting the following:

(2) It is an offense to sell or offer to sell a firearm to a person knowing that the person is prohibited by state or federal law from owning, possessing or purchasing a firearm.

and substituting instead:

(2) It is an offense to sell, transfer, or offer to sell or transfer a firearm to a person knowing that the person is prohibited by state or federal law from owning, possessing, or purchasing a firearm.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2026, the public welfare requiring it.