

Amend printed copy of **HB 175** 

On page 1, line 5, after the words "<u>Sections 1 to</u>" delete " $\underline{4}$ " and insert " $\underline{3}$ "; and

On page 2, beginning on line 5 through page 4, line 8, delete in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

- "(1) It shall be unlawful for a financial institution or government entity to adopt a policy that it will not do business with a manufacturer, retailer, or distributor of firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition; a shooting range; or a trade association solely because the manufacturer, retailer, distributor, shooting range, or trade association supports or is engaged in the lawful commerce of firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition products.
- (2) Nothing in Sections 1 to 3 of this Act shall be construed to prohibit, restrict, or in any way interfere with a financial institution or government entity making any decision to do business with any entity when that decision is based on valid business or financial considerations.

→SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 237 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

(1) The Attorney General may file a civil cause of action in District Court in the name of the Commonwealth against a financial institution or government entity believed to be engaging in or that has previously engaged in an unlawful discriminatory practice under

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Section 2 of this Act to:

- (a) Obtain a declaratory judgment that the act or practice violates Section 2 of this Act;
- (b) Enjoin any act or practice that violates Section 2 of this Act by seeking a temporary restraining order or preliminary or permanent injunction, without bond, upon the giving of appropriate notice; or
- (c) Recover civil penalties of up to ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per violation of Section 2 of this Act.
- (2) The Attorney General shall recommend to the Governor a discontinuation of state business relations with any financial institution or government entity found to be in violation of Section 2 of this Act.".