Local Government Mandate Statement Kentucky Legislative Research Commission 2024 Regular Session

Part I: Measure Information

Bill Request #: 56
Bill #: HB 357 HCS 1
Document ID #: 6135
Bill Title: AN ACT relating to firearms.
Sponsor: Representative Derek Lewis
Unit of Government: X City X County X Urban-County Unified Local X Charter County X Consolidated Local X Government
Office(s) Impacted: Local governments
Requirement: X Mandatory Optional
Effect on Powers & Duties: X Modifies Existing Adds New Eliminates Existing

Part II: Bill Provisions and the Estimated Fiscal Impact Relating to Local Government

HB 357 HCS 1 proposes to add a new section to KRS Chapter 237 to prohibit local governments from maintaining a list, record, or registry of privately owned firearms or any list, record, or registry of the owners of the firearms, except for those records kept during the regular course of a criminal investigation and prosecution or as otherwise required by law.

The fiscal impact of HB 357 HCS 1 on local governments is expected to be minimal.

The Kentucky League of Cities indicated currently no city is collecting this information and HB 357 HCS 1 does not conflict with any current practices.

The Kentucky Association of Counties was contacted for input. As of the submission of this Local Mandate Statement, a response has not been received. When a response is received, the statement may be updated accordingly.

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