

Amendment 123

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Control of the acquisition and possession of weapons
(COM(2015)0750 - C8-0358/2015 - 2015/0269(COD))

Proposal for a directive**Recital 4**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(4) *Bodies concerned with the cultural and historical aspects of weapons and recognised as such by the Member State in whose territory they are established and holding in their possession firearms classified in category A acquired before the date of entry into force of this Directive should be able to keep those firearms in their possession subject to authorisation by the Member State concerned and provided that those firearms have been deactivated.*

(4) *Member States should be able to grant authorisations to recognised museums and collectors for the acquisition and the possession of firearms and ammunition when necessary for historical, cultural, scientific, technical, educational, aesthetic or heritage purposes, provided that they demonstrate, prior to being granted authorisation, that they have taken the necessary measures to address any risks to public security or public order, including by way of secure storage.*

Or. en

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Proposal for a directive

Recital 5

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(5) *Since collectors have been identified as a possible source of traffic of firearms, they should be covered by this Directive.* *deleted*

Or. en

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Proposal for a directive**Recital 8**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(8) In order to *ensure* the traceability of *deactivated firearms, they* should be *registered in national registries*.

(8) In order to *increase* the traceability of *firearms and essential components and to facilitate their free movement, an assembled firearm and all separately sold essential components* should be *marked irremovably at the time of their being manufactured or without delay after their import into the Union. The traceability requirements should not apply to firearms which have been deactivated in accordance with this Directive or firearms of parts thereof that were manufactured before this Directive came into force.*

Or. en

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Proposal for a directive**Recital 9**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(9) *Some semi-automatic firearms can be easily converted to automatic firearms, thus posing a threat to security. Even in the absence of conversion to category "A", certain semi-automatic firearms may be very dangerous when their capacity regarding the number of rounds is high. Such semi-automatic weapons should therefore be banned for civilian use.* *deleted*

Or. en

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Proposal for a directive**Recital 10**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(10) To ***avoid that*** markings ***are*** easily erased and to clarify on which components the marking should be affixed, common Union rules on marking should be introduced.

(10) To ***prevent*** markings ***from being*** easily erased and to clarify on which components the marking should be affixed, common Union rules on marking should be introduced. ***Those rules should apply only to firearms and separately sold essential components that are manufactured after this Directive came into force and that are placed on the market as from the date by which Member States are to bring into force the laws, regulations and administrative provisions necessary to comply with the main provisions of this Directive.***

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Proposal for a directive**Recital 14***Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) In order to improve the functioning of the information exchange between Member States, the Commission should ***assess the necessary elements of a system to support such*** exchange of information contained in the computerised data-filing systems in place in Member States. ***The Commission's assessment may be accompanied, if appropriate, by a legislative proposal taking into account existing instruments regarding exchange of information.***

Amendment

(14) In order to improve the functioning of the information exchange between Member States, the Commission should ***facilitate and encourage*** exchange of information contained in the computerised data-filing systems in place in Member States ***as warranted and should distribute best practices. The Member States shall retain the right to have their own firearms-registers; the Union will not create a EU-database for all registered firearms in the Member States.***

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Proposal for a directive**Article 1 – paragraph 1 – point 2**

Directive 91/477/EEC

Article 1 - paragraph 2

*Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

2. This Directive shall not apply to the acquisition or possession of weapons and ammunition, in accordance with national law, by the armed forces, the police, the public authorities. Nor shall it apply to commercial transfers of weapons and ammunition of war.

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