

HB 1379 -- TRANSFER OF FIREARMS

SPONSOR: Burton

This bill specifies that any person who is not a licensed dealer must require a background check be conducted of a prospective transferee prior to the transfer of a firearm, with certain exceptions described in the bill. No transfer may be completed until the prospective firearm transferor has obtained approval of the transfer from the central repository, as defined, after a background check.

A licensed dealer or law enforcement agency may charge a fee for conducting a background check, which shall not exceed \$25 or the cost of conducting the background check, whichever is greater.

This bill contains penalty provisions.