

**Introduced by Senator Runner**

February 19, 2016

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An act to add Section 29880 to the Penal Code, relating to firearms.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1369, as introduced, Runner. Firearms: prohibited persons.

Existing law makes it a crime for certain persons to own, purchase, receive, or possess a firearm, including, among other persons, persons convicted of a felony, persons who are addicted to the use of a narcotic drug, persons convicted of specified violent offenses, persons who have been adjudicated by a court of any state to be a danger to others as a result of a mental disorder or mental illness, and persons who have been admitted to a facility, are receiving inpatient treatment, and, in the opinion of the attending health professional who is primarily responsible for the patients' treatment, are a danger to himself or herself or others.

This bill would require the Department of Justice, if the department determines that a person prohibited from owning, purchasing, receiving, or possessing a firearm by the provisions described above has attempted to acquire a firearm, to notify the local law enforcement agency with primary jurisdiction over the area in which the person was last known to reside.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 29880 is added to the Penal Code,
- 2 immediately following Section 29875, to read:

1     29880. If the Department of Justice determines that a person  
2 prohibited from owning, purchasing, receiving, or possessing a  
3 firearm by this chapter, Chapter 3 (commencing with Section  
4 29900), or Section 8100 or 8103 of the Welfare and Institutions  
5 Code has attempted to acquire a firearm, the department shall  
6 notify the local law enforcement agency with primary jurisdiction  
7 over the area in which the person was last known to reside.

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