



LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO



Sixty-fourth Legislature

Second Regular Session - 2018

IN THE _____

BILL NO. _____

BY _____

AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREARMS SAFETY; AMENDING CHAPTER 16, TITLE 33, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 33-1628, IDAHO CODE, TO AUTHORIZE AND ENCOURAGE A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ADOPT AN ELECTIVE COURSE IN FIREARMS SAFETY EDUCATION AND TO AUTHORIZE INSTRUCTORS.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Chapter 16, Title 33, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended by the addition thereto of a NEW SECTION, to be known and designated as Section 33-1628, Idaho Code, and to read as follows:

33-1628. FIREARMS SAFETY EDUCATION IN PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS. The board of trustees of a school district is encouraged to establish and maintain a firearms safety education course for primary and secondary school students. The trustees may adopt an elective course of instruction developed by the department of fish and game, a law enforcement agency, or a national firearms association as its firearms safety education course. Instructors from the department of fish and game, a law enforcement agency or a national firearms association, or a person recognized by the trustees as having expertise in firearms safety education may provide the course instruction.