

## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 HB2186

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## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/24-8

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning firearm tracing.

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1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by changing
- 5 Section 24-8 as follows:
- 6 (720 ILCS 5/24-8)
- 7 Sec. 24-8. Firearm tracing.
- 8 (a) Upon recovering a firearm from <u>the</u> the possession of 9 anyone who is not permitted by federal or State law to possess
- 10 a firearm, a local law enforcement agency shall use the best
- 11 available information, including a firearms trace when
- 12 necessary, to determine how and from whom the person gained
- possession of the firearm. Upon recovering a firearm that was
- 14 used in the commission of any offense classified as a felony or
- upon recovering a firearm that appears to have been lost,
- 16 mislaid, stolen, or otherwise unclaimed, a local law
- 17 enforcement agency shall use the best available information,
- 18 including a firearms trace when necessary, to determine prior
- ownership of the firearm.
- 20 (b) Local law enforcement shall, when appropriate, use the
- 21 National Tracing Center of the Federal Bureau of Alcohol,
- 22 Tobacco and Firearms in complying with subsection (a) of this
- 23 Section.

- 1 (c) Local law enforcement agencies shall use the Illinois
- 2 Department of State Police Law Enforcement Agencies Data System
- 3 (LEADS) Gun File to enter all stolen, seized, or recovered
- 4 firearms as prescribed by LEADS regulations and policies.
- 5 (Source: P.A. 91-364, eff. 1-1-00; 92-300, eff. 1-1-02.)