

# HB1859



## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB1859

by Rep. Jim Durkin

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

430 ILCS 65/1

from Ch. 38, par. 83-1

Amends the Firearm Owners Identification Card Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a legislative declaration.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning safety.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Firearm Owners Identification Card Act is  
5 amended by changing Section 1 as follows:

6 (430 ILCS 65/1) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-1)

7 Sec. 1. It is hereby declared as a matter of legislative  
8 determination that ~~that~~ in order to promote and protect the  
9 health, safety and welfare of the public, it is necessary and  
10 in the public interest to provide a system of identifying  
11 persons who are not qualified to acquire or possess firearms,  
12 firearm ammunition, stun guns, and tasers within the State of  
13 Illinois by the establishment of a system of Firearm Owner's  
14 Identification Cards, thereby establishing a practical and  
15 workable system by which law enforcement authorities will be  
16 afforded an opportunity to identify those persons who are  
17 prohibited by Section 24-3.1 of the Criminal Code of 2012, from  
18 acquiring or possessing firearms and firearm ammunition and who  
19 are prohibited by this Act from acquiring stun guns and tasers.  
20 (Source: P.A. 97-1150, eff. 1-25-13.)