

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB2739

by Rep. Luis Arroyo

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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1 AN ACT concerning safety.

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

- Section 5. The Firearm Owners Identification Card Act is
 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 persons who are not qualified to acquire or possess firearms, 11 firearm ammunition, stun guns, and tasers within the State of 12 Illinois by the establishment of a system of Firearm Owner's 13 14 Identification Cards, thereby establishing a practical and workable system by which law enforcement authorities will be 15 16 afforded an opportunity to identify those persons who are 17 prohibited by Section 24-3.1 of the Criminal Code of 2012, from acquiring or possessing firearms and firearm ammunition and who 18 are prohibited by this Act from acquiring stun guns and tasers. 19 (Source: P.A. 97-1150, eff. 1-25-13.) 20