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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to requiring handguns located in a residence to be kept in a locked container or disabled with a trigger lock.

Recommendation for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE adding Section 55.21 to Chapter V of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to require handguns located in a residence to be kept in a locked container or disabled with a trigger lock, as amended to insert the phrase over the age of 18 into Section 55.21 (b)2 and (b)3 of the Ordinance.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: None submitted by the City Attorney. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At a regular meeting held on October 20, 2015, your Public Safety Committee considered a City Attorney report and Ordinance relative to requiring handguns located in a residence to be kept in a locked container or disabled with a trigger lock. An opportunity for public comment was provided. During the discussion of the matter, Councilmember Martinez requested that the Ordinance be amended to insert the phrase over the age of 18 into Section 55.21 (b)2 and (b)3 of the Ordinance. After further discussing the matter, the Committee moved to approve the Ordinance submitted by the City Attorney as amended, as detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

MEMBER

VOTE

ENGLANDER:

YES

BUSCAINO:

YES

BONIN:

ABSENT

O'FARRELL:

YES

MARTINEZ:

YES

ME