



# City of Baltimore

City Council  
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Baltimore, Maryland 21202

## Legislation Text

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.  
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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INTRODUCTORY\*

CITY OF BALTIMORE  
COUNCIL BILL

Introduced by: The Council President  
At the request of: The Administration (Police Department)

A BILL ENTITLED

AN ORDINANCE concerning  
**Gas- or Air-Pellet Guns - Redefining**

FOR the purpose of redefining "gas - or air - pellet gun", as used in certain prohibitions against transferring these devices to minors or possessing, discharging, or using these devices in the City.

BY repealing and reordaining, with amendments

Article 19 - Police Ordinances  
Section(s) 59-26(a)(2)  
Baltimore City Code  
(Edition 2000)

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That the Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

Baltimore City Code

Article 19. Police Ordinances

Subtitle 59. Weapons

§ 5926. Gas or air pellet guns.

(a) Definitions.

(2) "Gas- or air-pellet gun".

"Gas- or air-pellet gun" means any gun or other device, by whatever name or description known, that [discharges] IS DESIGNED TO DISCHARGE OR CAN READILY BE CONVERTED TO DISCHARGE a pellet or other object

by [force of gas or air cylinder or cartridge, by action of an explosive or combustible propellant, or by pump action]  
THE EXPANSION OF GAS OR AIR.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior Ordinance.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day after the date it is enacted.

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