



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** 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.

**Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)

**Indexes:** Guns

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. 12-0117 - 1st Reader.pdf, 2. Law - 12-0117.pdf, 3. Police - 12-0117.pdf, 4. 12-0117 - 3rd Reader.pdf

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
10/26/2012	0	Mayor	Signed by Mayor	
10/22/2012	0	City Council	Approved and Sent to the Mayor	
10/15/2012	0	Public Safety Committee	Recommended Favorably	
10/15/2012	0	City Council	Advanced to 3rd Rdr., Adopted Comm. Report	
9/10/2012	0	Public Safety Committee	Scheduled for a Public Hearing	
8/16/2012	0	The City Council	Referred for a Report	
8/16/2012	0	The City Council	Referred for a Report	
8/13/2012	0	City Council	Introduced	
8/13/2012	0	City Council	Assigned	
8/13/2012	0	City Council	Assigned	

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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