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To: Ladies and Gentlemen  
From: Drew Shirk, Executive Director of Legislative Affairs **DIS**  
Subject: **Bill Action -- April 25, 2023**  
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Governor Inslee will take action on the following House and Senate Bills:

**Commencing at 10:00 AM**

**Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill No. 1143**

Relating to enhancing requirements for the purchase or transfer of firearms by requiring a permit to purchase firearms, firearms safety training, and a 10-day waiting period, prohibiting firearms transfers prior to completion of a background check, and updating and creating consistency in firearms transfer and background check procedures.

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Berry

**Substitute House Bill No. 1240**

Relating to establishing firearms-related safety measures to increase public safety by prohibiting the manufacture, importation, distribution, selling, and offering for sale of assault weapons, and by providing limited exemptions applicable to licensed firearm manufacturers and dealers for purposes of sale to armed forces branches and law enforcement agencies and for purposes of sale or transfer outside the state, and to inheritors.

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Peterson

**Substitute Senate Bill No. 5078**

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Relating to protecting public safety by establishing duties of firearm industry members engaged in the sale, manufacturing, distribution, importing, or marketing of firearms, ammunition, component parts, or accessories, to adopt and implement reasonable controls to prevent the diversion of firearms and related products to straw purchasers, firearm traffickers, unauthorized individuals, and individuals who pose a risk to themselves or others, to prohibit such firearm industry members from

Primary Sponsor: Sen. Pedersen

NOTE: Order of bills is subject to change.

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