

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB1404
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Request Number:	6192
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Impact:	\$0

Research Analysis

HB 1404 removes the prohibition on the transport of firearms in a vessel or boat and clarifies that it is only unlawful to discharge a firearm except in cases of self-defense, hunting animals or fowl. The measure increases the punishment for violations from \$50 to not more than \$100 and lowers the possibility of jail time from six months to three months. The measure also removes language relating to persons in possession of a valid handgun license.

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Fiscal Analysis

This measure makes some changes to unlawful discharge of firearms and the punishments for doing so. The given changes are not expected to create a fiscal impact for the state.

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Other Considerations

None.