117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 167

To prohibit the transfer of a firearm at a gun show by a person who is not a federally licensed firearms dealer.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

January 4, 2021

Mr. Green of Texas introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

To prohibit the transfer of a firearm at a gun show by a person who is not a federally licensed firearms dealer.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. PROHIBITION ON TRANSFER OF A FIREARM AT

A GUN SHOW BY A PERSON WHO IS NOT A

FEDERALLY LICENSED FIREARMS DEALER.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 922 of title 18, United

States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

1	"(aa)(1)(A) It shall be unlawful for a person to trans-
2	fer a firearm at a gun show, unless the person is a licensed
3	dealer.
4	"(B) Subparagraph (A) shall not apply to a transfer
5	to a person licensed under this chapter.
6	"(2) In paragraph (1), the term 'gun show'—
7	"(A) means an event or function—
8	"(i) held for the purpose of facilitating the
9	commercial sale, transfer, or exchange of fire-
10	arms; and
11	"(ii) at which a firearm is displayed, exhib-
12	ited, offered for sale, transfer, or exchange, or
13	is sold, transferred, or exchanged; and
14	"(B) includes the entire premises, including
15	parking areas, used to facilitate the sale, transfer, or
16	exchange of firearms at the event or function.".
17	(b) Penalties.—Section 924(a) of such title is
18	amended by adding at the end the following:
19	"(8) Whoever knowingly violates section 922(aa)
20	shall be fined an amount equal to \$10,000 multiplied by
21	the number of firearms involved in the violation, impris-
22	oned not less than 1 year and not more than 2 years, or
23	both.".