



State of Wisconsin  
2019 - 2020 LEGISLATURE

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## 2019 ASSEMBLY BILL 418

September 5, 2019 - Introduced by Representatives SUBECK, SARGENT, C. TAYLOR, ANDERSON, BILLINGS, CROWLEY, EMERSON, KOLSTE and SINICKI, cosponsored by Senators L. TAYLOR, RISSER, JOHNSON and LARSON. Referred to Committee on Small Business Development.

\*\*\*AUTHORS SUBJECT TO CHANGE\*\*\*

1     **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 175.37 (1); *to amend* 175.37 (title) and 175.37  
2           (2); and *to create* 175.37 (1) (b) of the statutes; **relating to:** containers or  
3           trigger locks provided at a firearm sale and providing a penalty.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

This bill requires a person who commercially sells or transfers a firearm to provide the purchaser or transferee with either a secure, lockable container that is designed to store a firearm or a trigger lock for the firearm. A seller or transferor who violates this requirement is subject to a fine of up to \$500 or imprisonment for up to 30 days, or both.

Because this bill creates a new crime or revises a penalty for an existing crime, the Joint Review Committee on Criminal Penalties may be requested to prepare a report.

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***The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:***

4           **SECTION 1.** 175.37 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:  
5           **175.37** (title) **Warning Requirements** whenever transferring a firearm.  
6           **SECTION 2.** 175.37 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 175.37 (1) (intro.) and  
7           amended to read:

