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Sponsor(s): Senator Smith

Brief Description: Clarifying the law relating to possession of firearms.

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Prohibits possession of a firearm unless three years have elapsed since the date of conviction for a misdemeanor or gross misdemeanor offense, five years have elapsed since the date of conviction for a class C felony, or ten years have elapsed since the date of conviction for a class B felony.

Provides that a failure to notify a person that he or she is ineligible to possess a firearm is not a defense to prosecution under RCW 9.41.040.