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To amend section 2923.25 of the Revised Code to
prohibit a federally licensed firearms dealer
from transferring a firearm while a background
check is pending unless 30 days have elapsed.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 2923.25 of the Revised Code be
amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2923.25. (A) Each federally licensed firearms dealer
who sells any firearm, at the time of the sale of the firearm,
shall offer for sale to the purchaser of the firearm a trigger
lock, gun lock, or gun locking device that is appropriate for
that firearm. Each federally licensed firearms dealer shall post
in a conspicuous location in the dealer's place of business the
poster furnished to the dealer pursuant to section 5502.63 of
the Revised Code and shall make available to all purchasers of
firearms from the dealer the brochure furnished to the dealer
pursuant to that section.

(B) Each federally licensed firearms dealer shall comply
with the requirements of 18 U.S.C. 922(t). Notwithstanding 18

U.S.C. 922(t)(1)(B), no federally licensed firearms dealer shall 19
transfer a firearm to any person unless one of the following 20
applies: 21

(1) The national instant criminal background check system 22
has provided the federally licensed firearms dealer with a 23
unique identification number. 24

(2) The national instant criminal background check system 25
has not provided the federally licensed firearms dealer with a 26
unique identification number and thirty days have elapsed since 27
the date the federally licensed firearms dealer contacted the 28
national instant criminal background check system. 29

(C) As used in this section, "federally licensed firearms 30
dealer" has the same meaning as in section 5502.63 of the 31
Revised Code. 32

Section 2. That existing section 2923.25 of the Revised 33
Code is hereby repealed. 34