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# H. R. 21

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 3, 2001

Mr. BARR of Georgia introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-  
2       tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 SECTION 1. FIREARMS PROHIBITIONS APPLICABLE BY  
2 REASON OF A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE MIS-  
3 DEMEANOR CONVICTION NOT TO APPLY TO  
4 CONVICTIONS OBTAINED BEFORE THE PRO-  
5 HIBITIONS BECAME LAW.

6 Subsections (d)(9), (g)(9), and (s)(3)(B)(i) of section  
7 922 of title 18, United States Code, are each amended  
8 by inserting “, on or after September 28, 1996,” before  
9 “of a misdemeanor”.

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