

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5863

To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act to require that firearms purchased with Byrne JAG funds be SMART guns, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 2016

Mr. MCNERNEY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on the Judiciary

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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “SMART Guns Act of
5 2016”.

6 **SEC. 2. SMART GUN PURCHASES WITH BYRNE JAG FUNDS.**

7 Section 501(a) of the Omnibus Crime Control and
8 Safe Streets Act (42 U.S.C. 3751(a)) is amended by add-
9 ing at the end the following:

1 “(3) LIMITATION ON PURCHASES OF FIRE-
2 ARMS.—

3 “(A) GENERAL LIMITATION.—To the ex-
4 tent practicable, any firearm purchased with
5 amounts received under this part shall be a
6 SMART gun.

7 “(B) DEFINITION.—For purposes of this
8 section, the term ‘SMART gun’ means a fire-
9 arm that includes a safety feature that allows
10 the firearm to fire only when activated by an
11 authorized user.”.

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