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Senate of Pennsylvania

DATE: February 25, 2011

TO: All Senators

FROM: Vincent J. Hughes

SUBJECT: Co-sponsorship- Destruction of Firearms

In the near future, I will re-introduce legislation that will require legally confiscated firearms to be destroyed within 120 days. Pennsylvania's law enforcement agencies must make a reasonable effort to return firearms to rightful owners. However, this legislation would not require firearms to be returned to those owners that have been convicted for the misuse of firearms. Finally, all confiscated firearms must be destroyed within the Commonwealth. This legislation was introduced last session as SB 293.

The co-sponsors of SB 293 were: Stack, Kitchen, Washington and Fontana.

If you would like to co-sponsor this legislation please contact Jackie Hopp at jhopp@pasenate.com.