



City of New Bedford

IN COMMITTEE

March 8, 2018

The Honorable City Council
133 William Street
New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Ordinances at a Meeting held on Wednesday, February 21, 2018, considered a WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that the City Council send a letter to our State Delegation asking for legislation making it mandatory that production of toy guns do not replicate real handguns, this legislation will serve to save lives and not put Police and law-enforcement agencies in situations where they are dealing with criminals using toy guns in criminal activity and to protect our Citizens against crime. (Ref'd 1/14/16) (3/21/17-remain in Committee)

On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Coelho, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to take "No Further Action" on a WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that the City Council send a letter to our State Delegation asking for legislation making it mandatory that production of toy guns do not replicate real handguns, this legislation will serve to save lives and not put Police and law-enforcement agencies in situations where they are dealing with criminals using toy guns in criminal activity and to protect our Citizens against crime. This motion passed on a voice vote.

IN COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES

Councillor Hugh Dunn, Chairman

HD: dmb



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

CITY COUNCIL

January 14, 2016

WRITTEN MOTION

Requesting, that the City Council send a letter to our State Delegation in support of the pending legislation making it mandatory that production of toy guns do not replicate real handguns, this legislation will serve to save lives and not put Police and law-enforcement agencies in situations where they are dealing with criminals using toy guns in criminal activity and to protect our Citizens against crime.

Brian K. Gomes, Councillor at Large