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H.B. No. 1387

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the storage of firearms and ammunition in the same
3 locked location in certain foster homes.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 42.042(e-1), Human Resources Code, is
6 amended to read as follows:

7 (e-1) The commission may not prohibit possession of
8 lawfully permitted firearms and ammunition in an agency foster
9 home. Minimum standards may be adopted under this section relating
10 to safety and proper storage of firearms and ammunition. The
11 minimum standards must allow firearms and ammunition to be [~~stored~~
12 ~~separately or~~] stored together in the same locked location [~~if the~~
13 ~~firearms are stored with a trigger locking device attached to the~~
14 ~~firearms~~].

15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.