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HOUSE AMENDMENT "**A**" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 234, L.D. 310, Bill, "An Act To Require a 10-day Waiting Period for the Purchase of Firearms by a Person under 22 Years of Age"

Amend the amendment by inserting after section 3 the following:

'Sec. 4. 25 MRSA §2013 is enacted to read:

§2013. Waiting period for certain firearms sales

A person may not sell a firearm without a 5-day waiting period to any person who has not attained 19 years of age. For the purpose of this section, "firearm" has the same meaning as in Title 17-A, section 2, subsection 12-A.'

SUMMARY

This amendment seeks to further prevent teen suicides by requiring a 5-day waiting period before a firearm may be sold to any person who has not attained 19 years of age.

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