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Resolution supporting California State Assembly Bill 2888, the Gun Violence Restraining Order, authored by Assembly Member Phil Ting.

[Supporting California State Assembly Bill 2888 (Ting) - Gun Violence Restraining Order]

WHEREAS, Over the past decade more than 100,000 Americans have been killed by gun violence; and

WHEREAS, In 2015 alone, there were more than 15,500 people killed or injured by firearms in the United States, including almost 4,000 children under the age of 18; and

WHEREAS, From 2014 to 2017, there have been over 1,300 mass shootings (incidents with four or more people killed or injured); and

WHEREAS, From 2000 to 2018, mass shootings have been on the rise, with the majority of them occurring on school campuses and in the workplace; and

WHEREAS, In the United States, there are over 500 workplace homicides each year, with firearms accounting for approximately 80% of those killings; and

WHEREAS, More than 60% of people in this country who die from guns die by suicide; suicide is the second-most common cause of death for Americans between the ages of 15 and 34; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco has for decades been a national leader in both legislating and defending in the courts bold policies against the proliferation of guns on our streets and has been in favor of smart gun control restrictions, from our 1981 handgun control ordinance to the 2013 bans on lethal ammunition and high capacity magazines, recognizing the reasonable judgment that these types of ammunition and magazines pose a significant and serious threat to the health of our residents; and

WHEREAS, This year, on February 14, in Parkland, Florida, 17 people were killed and 17 more were injured at Marjorie Stoneman Douglas high school, all by firearms; the shooter is a recent former student of the school, and there had been several warnings raised about his potential for violence; this bill would provide school employees the opportunity to petition the court for a gun violence restraining order in similar situations; and

WHEREAS, California State Assembly Bill 2888 limits access to particularly deadly weapons and addresses the need to limit access to firearms by someone who is exhibiting signs of becoming a danger to themself or others by amending existing law to enable an employer, a coworker, or an employee of a high school or college to request a court to issue a gun violence restraining order prohibiting a person from having in his/her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving a firearm or ammunition; and

WHEREAS, California State Assembly Bill 2888 strikes the right balance between preserving constitutional rights and prioritizing the safety of our citizens; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors declares their support for California State Assembly Bill 2888 and urges the Senate and Assembly to pass the bill; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors hereby directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit copies of this Resolution to Assembly Member Ting and our City Lobbyist, with a request to take all actions necessary to achieve passage of this bill.

AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY APRIL 18, 2018 AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY MARCH 22, 2018

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2017—18 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 2888

Introduced by Assembly Members Ting, Muratsuchi, and Reyes (Coauthor: Senator Allen)

February 16, 2018

An act to amend Sections 18150, 18170, and 18190 of the Penal Code, relating to firearms.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2888, as amended, Ting. Gun violence restraining orders.

Existing law authorizes a court to issue an ex parte gun violence restraining order prohibiting the subject of the petition from having in his or her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving, or attempting to purchase or receive, a firearm or ammunition when it is shown that there is a substantial likelihood that the subject of the petition poses a significant danger of harm to himself, herself, or another in the near future by having in his or her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving a firearm, and that the order is necessary to prevent personal injury to himself, herself, or another, as specified. Existing law requires the ex parte order to expire no later than 21 days after the date on the order. Existing law also authorizes a court to issue a gun violence restraining order prohibiting the subject of the petition from having in his or her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving, or attempting to purchase or receive, a firearm or ammunition for a period of one year when there is clear and convincing evidence that the subject of the petition, or a 3

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person subject to an ex parte gun violence restraining order, as applicable, poses a significant danger of personal injury to himself, herself, or another by having in his or her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving a firearm, and that the order is necessary to prevent personal injury to himself, herself, or another, as specified. Existing law authorizes renewal of a gun violence restraining order within 3 months of the order's expiration. Petitions for ex parte, one-year, and renewed gun violence restraining orders may be made by an immediate family member of the person or by a law enforcement officer.

This bill would similarly authorize, but not require, an employer, a coworker, a mental health worker who has seen the person as a patient in the last 6 months, or an employee of a secondary or postsecondary school that the person has attended in the last 6 months to file a petition for an ex parte, one-year, or renewed gun violence restraining order.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 18150 of the Penal Code is amended to 2 read:

18150. (a) (1) An immediate family member, an employer, a coworker, a mental health worker who has seen the person as a patient in the prior six months, an employee of a secondary or postsecondary school that the person has attended in the last six months, or a law enforcement officer may file a petition requesting that the court issue an ex parte gun violence restraining order enjoining the subject of the petition from having in his or her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving a firearm or ammunition.

- 12 (2) For purposes of this subdivision, "immediate family 13 member" has the same meaning as in paragraph (3) of subdivision 14 (b) of Section 422.4.
- 15 (3) This chapter does not require a person described in paragraph (1) to seek a gun violence restraining order.
- 17 (b) A court may issue an ex parte gun violence restraining order 18 if the petition, supported by an affidavit made in writing and signed 19 by the petitioner under oath, or an oral statement taken pursuant 20 to subdivision (a) of Section 18155, and any additional information

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provided to the court shows that there is a substantial likelihood that both of the following are true:

(1) The subject of the petition poses a significant danger, in the near future, of causing personal injury to himself, herself, or another by having in his or her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving a firearm as determined by considering the factors listed in Section 18155.

- (2) An ex parte gun violence restraining order is necessary to prevent personal injury to the subject of the petition or another because less restrictive alternatives either have been tried and found to be ineffective, or are inadequate or inappropriate for the circumstances of the subject of the petition.
- (c) An affidavit supporting a petition for the issuance of an exparte gun violence restraining order shall set forth the facts tending to establish the grounds of the petition, or the reason for believing that they exist.
- (d) An ex parte order under this chapter shall be issued or denied on the same day that the petition is submitted to the court, unless the petition is filed too late in the day to permit effective review, in which case the order shall be issued or denied on the next day of judicial business in sufficient time for the order to be filed that day with the clerk of the court.
- SEC. 2. Section 18170 of the Penal Code is amended to read: 18170. (a) (1) An immediate family member, an employer, a coworker, a mental health worker who has seen the person as a patient in the prior six months, an employee of a secondary or postsecondary school that the person has attended in the last six months, or a law enforcement officer may request that a court, after notice and a hearing, issue a gun violence restraining order enjoining the subject of the petition from having in his or her custody or control, owning, purchasing, possessing, or receiving a firearm or ammunition for a period of one year.
- (2) This chapter does not require a person described in paragraph (1) to seek a gun violence restraining order.
- 35 (b) For purposes of this subdivision, "immediate family 36 member" has the same meaning as in paragraph (3) of subdivision 37 (b) of Section 422.4.
- 38 SEC. 3. Section 18190 of the Penal Code is amended to read: 39 18190. (a) (1) An immediate family member of a restrained 40 person, an employer, a coworker, a mental health worker who has

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seen the person as a patient in the prior six months, an employee of a secondary or postsecondary school that the person has attended in the last six months, or a law enforcement officer may request a renewal of a gun violence restraining order at any time within the three months before the expiration of a gun violence restraining order.

- (2) For purposes of this subdivision, "immediate family member" has the same meaning as in paragraph (3) of subdivision (b) of Section 422.4.
- (3) This chapter does not require a person described in paragraph (1) to seek a gun violence restraining order.
- (b) A court may, after notice and a hearing, renew a gun violence restraining order issued under this chapter if the petitioner proves, by clear and convincing evidence, that paragraphs (1) and (2) of subdivision (b) of Section 18175 continue to be true.
- (c) In determining whether to renew a gun violence restraining order issued under this chapter, the court shall consider evidence of the facts identified in paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) of Section 18155 and any other evidence of an increased risk for violence, including, but not limited to, evidence of any of the facts identified in paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) of Section 18155.
- (d) At the hearing, the petitioner shall have the burden of proving, by clear and convincing evidence, that paragraphs (1) and (2) of subdivision (b) of Section 18175 are true.
- (e) If the renewal petition is supported by clear and convincing evidence, the court shall renew the gun violence restraining order issued under this chapter.
- (f) The renewal of a gun violence restraining order issued pursuant to this section shall have a duration of one year, subject to termination by further order of the court at a hearing held pursuant to Section 18185 and further renewal by further order of the court pursuant to this section.
- (g) A gun violence restraining order renewed pursuant to this section shall include the information identified in subdivision (a) of Section 18180.

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By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or Mayor

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