



SB 1664 civil liability; gun free zones (Borelli)

- Holds a government entity liable for any damages claimed by a person who was harmed in a gun-free zone if they believe a firearm could have helped defend against criminal conduct
- Allows a court to award damages to a person who is harmed in a gun free zone if the following occurs:
 - The criminal conduct is considered a terrorist attack
 - The person has a disability
 - The person is a minority
 - The person is over 65 years of age
- Requires a government entity that establishes a gun free zone that is open to the public and prevents a customer, vendor or employee from exercising their right to self-protection to provide a level of protection from injury
- Imposes strict liability for damages against a government entity that fails to provide the required protections from injury to its attendees
- Removes the existing immunity for the operator of a public establishment or sponsor of a public event that requires people to place firearms in secure storage
- Clarifies that a “gun free zone” does not include a location where firearms are prohibited by federal law or a correctional facility.