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Bill Analysis

SB 769 prohibits juveniles adjudicated as delinquent from carrying a firearm until they reach the age of 25. The measure provides that a juvenile court receiving a plea of guilty or no contest for a violent from a juvenile offender shall inform the offender that he or she will be prohibited from possessing or purchasing a firearm until he or she reaches 25 years of age. A juvenile found guilty of a violent crime shall also receive such notification. The clerk of the juvenile court shall promptly submit an electronic copy of the final disposition of delinquency proceedings to the Federal Bureau of Investigation or its successor agency for the sole purpose of inclusion in the National Instant Criminal Background Check System database and the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation. An adjudicated delinquent who is at least 19 years of age and 1 year removed from the most recent adjudication may petition the court for reinstatement of his or her rights to possess or purchase a firearm. The measure outlines the factors the court shall consider in making its determination.

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