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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4477

OFFERED BY MR. CICILLINE OF RHODE ISLAND

Add, at the end, the following:

1 **SEC. 7. PRE-VALIDATION OF RECORDS.**

2 Section 101(a)(4) of the NICS Improvement Act of
3 2007 (34 U.S.C. 40911(a)(4)) is amended by adding at
4 the end the following:

5 “(D) PRE-VALIDATION OF RECORDS.—If a
6 Federal department or agency under subpara-
7 graph (A) has any record of any person dem-
8 onstrating that the person falls within one of
9 the categories described in subsection (g)(1),
10 (g)(8), (g)(9) or (n) of section 922 of title 18,
11 United States Code, the head of such depart-
12 ment or agency shall, not less frequently than
13 quarterly, pre-validate the contents of a prohib-
14 iting record by using the Identification for Fire-
15 arms Sales (IFFS) flag or Brady Indicator or
16 making such records available in the NICS
17 Index for persons who have been convicted in
18 any court of a crime punishable by imprison-
19 ment for a term exceeding 1 year or a mis-
20 demeanor crime of domestic violence or are sub-

1 ject to a disqualifying protection order. The
2 FBI shall not construe a federal department or
3 agency's decision not to pre-validate a record as
4 an indication that an individual is eligible to
5 purchase or possess firearms.”.

