

TITLE 6: CRIMES AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
DIVISION 10: SPECIAL ACT FOR FIREARMS ENFORCEMENT (SAFE)

§ 10304. Theft of a firearm.

(a) A person commits the offense of theft of a firearm if he or she unlawfully takes, or exercises control over, a firearm or firearms of another with intent to permanently deprive the owner of his or her rights to the firearm.

(b) Theft of a firearm includes any action that would be a violation of [6 CMC §§ 1601–1605](#), or any other provision of Commonwealth law outlawing or defining theft, if the property unlawfully taken is a firearm.

(c) Each firearm taken in the theft under this section is a separate offense.

(d) Upon conviction of a violation of this section, the person shall be fined not more than \$10,000 and shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment not to exceed 15 years and a mandatory-minimum term of not less than 5 years and shall not be released on parole prior to serving the mandatory-minimum sentence.

Source: [PL 19-42](#) § 7 (Apr. 11, 2016), modified.

Commission Comment: The Commission numbered this section pursuant to [1 CMC § 3806\(a\)](#). The Commission changed the capitalization of the section title for the purpose of conformity pursuant to [1 CMC § 3806\(f\)](#).