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Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délai - Kein Fristbeginn - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nezahajuje prodlení - Fristerne indledes ikke - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - No abre el plazo - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Ne otvara razdoblje kašnjenja - Nem nyitja meg a késéseket - Non fa decorrere la mora - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Atlikšanas laikposms nesākas - Ma jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dewmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Não inicia o prazo - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nezačína oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Inleder ingen frist - Ní osclaíonn sé na moilleanna

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4. 2026/0054/HU - X20M - Arms and munitions

5. Draft decree of the Ministry of the Interior concerning the amendment of certain ministerial decrees with regard to modular firearms

6. Modular firearms

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8. The so-called 'modular firearms' are devices with the special feature of being suitable for their intended use solely as 'complete' (fully assembled) firearms, which users may assemble from the various available interchangeable parts, in accordance with their needs in different combinations of the separate components (the 'main components of a modular firearm') which have been prefabricated for this purpose.

In order to regularise the legal status of modular firearms and to establish the legal framework necessary for the legal and safe use of such devices, Act LXXI of 2025 on the amendment of various acts in support of the efficiency in law enforcement laid down new foundations for the regulation of this field in Hungary. At the same time, Government Decree No 457/2025 of 29 December, which amends Government Decree No 16/1999 of 5 February on the provision of services for consideration by the police and Government Decree No 253/2004 of 31 August on weapons and ammunition with regard to modular firearms, also laid down further detailed rules on modular firearms.

The primary objective of the Ministry of the Interior decree amending certain ministerial decrees with regard to modular firearms is to transpose the amendments corresponding to all these changes, at statutory and government decree level, into the ministerial decree-level legislation which governs this field.

9. According to the underlying statutory regulation, the only instruments that may qualify as "modular firearms" and "main components of a modular firearm" are those which comply with the technical requirements laid down in the ministerial decree that governs this field.

The main objective of the Ministry of the Interior decree amending certain ministerial decrees with regard to modular firearms is therefore to lay down the technical requirements for the legal classification of 'modular firearms' and 'main components of modular firearms'.

According to the Ministry of the Interior, the set of requirements on which the qualification as 'modular' is based constitutes a 'technical regulation' falling within the scope of Directive (EU) 2015/1535 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 September 2015 laying down a procedure for the provision of information in the field of technical regulations and of rules on Information Society services, while the draft amendment to the ministerial decree laying down that requirement in legislation constitutes a 'draft technical regulation'.

10. References to basic texts: The basic texts were forwarded with an earlier notification:

2006/0002/HU

2012/0009/HU

2016/0316/HU

11. No

12.

13. No

14. No

15. No

16.

TBT aspects: No

SPS aspects: No

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