

NATURAL RESOURCES/ENFORCEMENT

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Dan:

This is the wording of the law on the transportation of a firearm in a motor vehicle in Minnesota.

The storage box that you have designed, as it is right now meets these requirement:

It is expressly made to hold firearms.

It is fully enclosed and latched by the rear seat.


No portion of the firearm is exposed.

It is fastened by the seat latch and can only be opened after pulling on the seat release cord.

97B.045 Transportation of firearms.

Sub division 1. Restrictions. A person may not transport a firearm in a motor vehicle unless the firearm is:

- (1) unloaded and in a gun case expressly made to contain a firearm, and the case fully encloses the firearm by being zipped, snapped, buckled, tied, or otherwise fastened, and without any portion of the firearm exposed;
- (2) unloaded and in the closed trunk of a motor vehicle; or
- (3) a handgun carried in compliance with sections 624.714 and 624.715.



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