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Statement from Mayor Emanuel and CPD Superintendent Johnson on Repeat Gun Offender Sentencing Bill

"I applaud the Illinois House and Senate for passing a bill to hold repeat gun offenders responsible for their crimes while expanding alternatives to incarceration for first-time non-violent offenders. The Safe Neighborhoods Reform Act will strengthen public safety and support the well-being of communities in Chicago and across Illinois by helping the criminal justice system hold repeat offenders accountable for their actions. I strongly encourage Governor Rauner to sign this important bill into law."

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