How Do I Turn In, Sell, or Store My Firearms?

1. **What is a firearm?**
   A firearm is a:
   - Handgun
   - Rifle
   - Shotgun
   - Assault weapon

2. **If you own or have a firearm you must:**
   - Turn it in to local law enforcement
   - Sell it to a licensed firearms dealer, or
   - Store it with a licensed firearms dealer

3. **How do I sell or store my firearm?**
   Find a California licensed firearms dealer in your area.
   Look under “Firearms Dealers” in your local Yellow Pages or on the Internet. Make sure the dealer is licensed.

4. **How do I take my firearm to law enforcement?**
   Call your local law enforcement agency to ask about their procedures. Take a copy of the restraining order with you.
   Go directly to the law enforcement agency. Do not go anywhere else with firearms in your vehicle!

5. **If I turn my firearm in to law enforcement, how long will they keep it?**
   Ask the law enforcement agency.

6. **After I give my firearm to law enforcement, can I change my mind?**
   Yes. You are allowed to make one sale through a licensed gun dealer. To do this, a licensed gun dealer must present a bill of sale to your local law enforcement agency. The law enforcement agency will give the licensed gun dealer the firearm you are selling.

7. **Do I have to pay the law enforcement agency to keep my firearm?**
   You may have to pay the agency for keeping your firearm.
   Contact your local law enforcement agency and ask if a fee is charged. The agency will tell you how much you need to pay.

8. **Questions?**
   Call your local law enforcement agency:
   *(Insert local information here.)*