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Abstract: Exempts certain La. residents from the crime of illegal carrying of weapons when the firearm is legally obtained, manufactured, and possessed, and provides that this Act shall be known as the "Louisiana Constitutional Carry and Restoration of Second Amendment Rights Act of 2017".

<u>Present law</u> prohibits the carrying of a concealed firearm, provides for criminal penalties, and provides for certain exceptions to the offense.

<u>Proposed law</u> creates an exception to this prohibition for a La. resident when the following criteria is met:

- (1) The La. resident is 21 years of age or older.
- (2) The La. resident is not prohibited from possessing a firearm under any federal or state law.
- (3) The firearm was legally manufactured and obtained.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for legislative intent and shall be known and may be cited as the "Louisiana Constitutional Carry and Restoration of Second Amendment Rights Act of 2017".

(Adds R.S. 14:95(L))