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ACT No. 84

HOUSE BILL NO. 265

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Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 40:1379.3(V), relative to concealed handgun permits; to provide for the
3 issuance of a lifetime concealed handgun permit; to provide for criteria for the
4 issuance of the permit; to provide for revocation of the permit; to require prepayment
5 of fees; to provide for applicability; to provide for suspension of the permit under
6 certain conditions; to provide for the educational training requirements for the
7 issuance of a lifetime concealed handgun permit; and to provide for related matters.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. R.S. 40:1379.3(V) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

10 §1379.3. Statewide permits for concealed handguns; application procedures;
11 definitions

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13 V.(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, a
14 Louisiana resident who meets the provisions of this Section may be issued a lifetime
15 concealed handgun permit. The term for the lifetime concealed handgun permit shall
16 be for the life of the permit holder.

17 (2) A person issued a lifetime concealed handgun permit shall be required
18 to meet the qualifications and competency requirements for the issuance of a
19 concealed handgun permit pursuant to the provisions of Subsections C and D of this
20 Section.

21 (3) A person issued a lifetime concealed handgun permit shall have a
22 continuing obligation to comply with the provisions of this Section and any other
23 rules or provisions of law regarding the carrying of concealed handguns.

1 (4)(a) A lifetime concealed handgun permit holder shall provide the division
2 with proof of completion of educational training every five years. The educational
3 training shall include all of the following:

4 (i) Instruction on handgun nomenclature and safe handling procedures for
5 a revolver and a semiautomatic pistol.

6 (ii) Instruction on ammunition knowledge and fundamentals of pistol
7 shooting.

8 (iii) Instruction on handgun shooting positions.

9 (iv) Instruction on the use of deadly force and conflict resolution which shall
10 include a review of R.S. 14:18 through 22 and which may include a review of any
11 other laws relating to use of deadly force.

12 (v) Instruction on child access prevention.

13 (vi) Actual live range fire and proper handgun cleaning procedures:

14 (aa) Live range fire shall include twelve rounds each at six feet, ten feet, and
15 fifteen feet for a total of thirty-six rounds.

16 (bb) Each applicant or permittee must perform at least one safe reload of the
17 handgun at each distance.

18 (cc) Each applicant or permittee must score one hundred percent hits within
19 the silhouette portion of a N.R.A. B-27 type silhouette target with at least thirty-six
20 rounds.

21 (b) Failure to submit proof of completion of the educational training pursuant
22 to the provisions of this Paragraph shall result in the suspension of the lifetime
23 concealed handgun permit until such time as the lifetime concealed handgun permit
24 holder submits proof of the educational training required in the provisions of this
25 Paragraph.

26 (5) The deputy secretary of the department shall revoke the lifetime
27 concealed handgun permit if the permittee fails to satisfy the qualifications and
28 requirements of Subsection C of this Section or violates the provisions of Subsection
29 I of this Section.

1 (6) A lifetime concealed handgun permit shall be suspended if the holder of
2 that permit becomes a resident of another state. The lifetime concealed handgun
3 permit shall be reactivated upon reestablishment of residency in Louisiana if the
4 applicant otherwise meets the requirements of this Section and upon successful
5 completion of a criminal history records check.

6 (7) An applicant for a lifetime concealed handgun permit shall pay the yearly
7 fee provided for in Paragraph (H)(2) of this Section but shall prepay that fee for a
8 total of twenty years at the time the application is made. If the applicant is sixty-five
9 years of age or older, he shall pay the yearly fee provided for in Paragraph (H)(2) of
10 this Section but shall prepay that fee for a total of ten years at the time the
11 application is made.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____