
DIGEST

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HB No. 519

Abstract: Authorizes a lifetime concealed handgun permit holder to possess short barrel firearms without meeting federal registration requirements.

Present federal law requires that a person register certain firearms in accordance with Title 18 or Title 26 of the United States Code as applicable.

Proposed law provides that the holder of a lifetime concealed handgun permit may possess certain firearms without complying with the provisions of Titles 18 or 26 of the United States Code.

Proposed law defines "firearm" as including a shotgun having a barrel of less than eighteen inches in length, a rifle having a barrel of less than sixteen inches in length, or any weapon made from either a rifle or a shotgun if the weapon has been modified to have an overall length of less than twenty-six inches.

(Adds R.S. 40:1789.1)