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Abstract: Prohibits state agencies and political subdivisions from excluding concealed handgun permit holders on their premises.

<u>Present law</u> provides for the issuance of concealed handgun permits.

<u>Present law</u> provides for locations where concealed handgun permit holders are prohibited from carrying concealed handguns.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>, but prohibits the state or its political subdivisions from excluding the carrying of concealed handguns by concealed handgun permit holders unless those locations are excluded under present law.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides penalties of a fine of \$250 for a first violation and \$1,000 for a second or subsequent violation.

<u>Proposed law</u> also authorizes a person adversely affected by the actions of a state agency or political subdivision to seek declarative and injunctive relief and actual and consequential damages attributable to the violation.

(Adds R.S. 14:95.11)