Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law. Act 1328 of the Regular Session

1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: S4/4/13		
2	89th General Assembly	A Bill		
3	Regular Session, 2013		SENATE BILL 1111	
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5	By: Senator S. Flowers			
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7	For An Act To Be Entitled			
8	AN ACT CO	AN ACT CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OR DENIAL OF A LICENSE		
9	TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.			
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14	LIC	ENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN.		
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17	BE IT ENACTED BY THE	GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF AR	KANSAS:	
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19	SECTION 1. Arkansas Code \S 5-73-308(b), concerning the denial of a			
20	concealed handgun license, is amended to read as follows:			
21	(b)(l) The director may deny a license to carry a concealed handgun if			
22	the county sheriff or chief of police, if applicable, of the applicant's			
23	place of residence or the director or the director's designee submits an			
24	affidavit that the ap	oplicant has been or is reasonably l	likely to be a danger	
25	to himself or herself	f or others or to the community at l	large, as demonstrated	
26	by past patterns of l	behavior or participation in an inci	ident involving	
27	unlawful violence or	threats of unlawful violence, or if	the applicant is	
28	under a criminal inve	estigation at the time of applying f	for a license to carry	
29	a concealed handgun.			
30	(2) With	hin one hundred twenty (120) days af	fter the date of	
31	receipt of the items	listed in \S 5-73-311(a), the direct	tor shall:	
32	(A)) Issue the license; or		
33	<i>(B)</i>	Deny the application based solely	on the ground that	
34	the applicant fails t	the applicant fails to qualify under the criteria listed in this subchapter.		
35	(3)(A) I	(3)(A) If the director denies the application, the director		
36	shall notify the appl	licant in writing, stating the groun	nds for denial.	

1	(B) The decision of the director is final <u>subject to</u>
2	appeal under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.
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4	/s/S. Flowers
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