

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 86th General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1717

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5 By: Representatives Pate, D. Evans
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE AWARD OF THE PISTOL
10 CARRIED BY A MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICER UPON
11 RETIREMENT; TO ALLOW A RETIRING MUNICIPAL POLICE
12 OFFICER TO PURCHASE HIS OR HER DUTY SHOTGUN; AND
13 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 TO AUTHORIZE THE AWARD OF THE PISTOL
16 CARRIED BY A MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICER
17 UPON RETIREMENT AND TO ALLOW A RETIRING
18 MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICER TO PURCHASE HIS
19 OR HER DUTY SHOTGUN.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 14, Chapter 52, Subchapter 1 is amended
26 to add an additional section to read as follows:

27 14-52-112. Award of pistol and purchase of shotgun upon retirement.

28 (a) When a law enforcement officer employed by a city of the first
29 class, city of the second class, or incorporated town retires from service or
30 dies while still employed with the city of the first class, city of the
31 second class, or incorporated town, in recognition of and appreciation for
32 the service of the retiring or deceased law enforcement officer, the mayor,
33 city manager, or city administrator of the city of the first class, city of
34 the second class, or incorporated town may award the pistol carried by the
35 law enforcement officer at the time of his or her death or retirement from
36 service to:



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(1) The law enforcement officer; or

(2) The law enforcement officer's spouse if the spouse is eligible under applicable state and federal laws to possess a firearm.

(b) When a law enforcement officer retires from service, the law enforcement officer may purchase the shotgun he or she used while on duty at the fair market value as determined by the mayor, city manager, or city administrator of the city of the first class, city of the second class, or incorporated town.