

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 2733

"TO MAKE LICENSES TO CARRY CONCEALED HANDGUNS VALID FOR FIVE (5)
YEARS UPON RENEWAL."

Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 2733.

Amend House Bill No. 2733 as engrossed, S3/20/07 (version: 03-20-2007 15:05):

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 13 of the TITLE and substitute the following:
"TO MAKE LICENSES TO CARRY CONCEALED HANDGUNS VALID FOR FIVE (5) YEARS; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 18 of the SUBTITLE and substitute the
following:
"TO MAKE LICENSES TO CARRY CONCEALED HANDGUNS VALID FOR FIVE (5) YEARS."

AND

Delete SECTION 1 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-73-302 is amended to read as follows:
5-73-302. Authority to issue license.

(a) The Director of the Department of Arkansas State Police may issue
a license to carry a concealed handgun to a person qualified as provided in
this subchapter.

(b)(1) The For new licenses issued after the effective date of this
act, the license to carry a concealed handgun is valid throughout the state
for a period of ~~four (4)~~ five (5) years from the date of issuance.

(2) After the effective date of this act, upon renewal, an
existing valid license to carry a concealed handgun shall be issued for a
period of five (5) years.

(c)(1)(A) A license After the effective date of this act, a license,
or renewal of a license, issued to a former elected or appointed sheriff of
any county of this state shall be ~~renewed every four (4)~~ issued for a period
of five (5) years.

(B) The license issued to a former elected or appointed
sheriff is revocable on the same grounds as other licenses.

(2)(A) The former elected or appointed sheriff shall meet the
same qualifications as all other applicants.



(B) However, the former elected or appointed sheriff is exempt from the fee prescribed by § 5-73-311(a)(2) and from the training requirements of § 5-73-309(a)(11) for issuance.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-73-319(b), concerning the transfer of a concealed handgun license to Arkansas, is amended to read as follows:

(b) ~~The~~ After the effective date of this act, the newly transferred license is valid for a period of ~~four (4)~~ five (5) years from the date of issuance and binds the holder to all Arkansas laws and regulations regarding the carrying of the concealed handgun.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 5-73-320(b), concerning concealed handgun licenses for certain members of the Arkansas National Guard, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) A After the effective date of this act, a license issued under this section expires ~~four (4)~~ five (5) years from the date of issuance or upon the expiration date of the military identification card of the soldier or airman, whichever occurs first.

(2) A license issued under this section is renewable for a period of five (5) years under the provisions of § 5-73-313 upon satisfaction of the requirements described in subsection (a) of this section."

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Senator Laverty

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Secretary