

HOUSE BILL No. 1575

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 35-47-13.

Synopsis: Retired law enforcement officers' identification. Requires state and local law enforcement agencies to issue annually to their retired law enforcement officers a photographic identification. Requires a retired law enforcement officer who carries a concealed firearm under federal law to obtain annually an endorsement or certification that the officer meets the training and qualification standards to carry that type of firearm.

Effective: Upon passage.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2004 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 35-47-13 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 UPON PASSAGE]:
4 **Chapter 13. Retired Law Enforcement Officers Identification
5 for Carrying Firearms**
6 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "firearm" has the meaning set
7 forth in 18 U.S.C. 926C(e).**
8 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "law enforcement agency" means
9 an agency or a department of:**
10 (1) the state; or
11 (2) a political subdivision of the state;
12 **whose principal function is the apprehension of criminal offenders.**
13 **Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "law enforcement officer" has
14 the meaning set forth in IC 35-41-1-17(a). The term includes an
15 arson investigator employed by the office of the state fire marshal.**
16 **Sec. 4. After June 30, 2005, all law enforcement agencies shall
17 issue annually to each person who has retired from that agency as**



1 a law enforcement officer a photographic identification.
 2 Sec. 5. (a) In addition to the photographic identification issued
 3 under section 4 of this chapter, after June 30, 2005, a retired law
 4 enforcement officer who carries a concealed firearm under 18
 5 U.S.C. 926C must obtain annually, for each type of firearm that the
 6 retired officer intends to carry as a concealed firearm, evidence
 7 that the retired officer meets the training and qualification
 8 standards to carry that type of firearm established:
 9 (1) by the retired officer's law enforcement agency, for active
 10 officers of the agency; or
 11 (2) by the state, for active law enforcement officers in the
 12 state.
 13 (b) The evidence required under subsection (a) is one of the
 14 following:
 15 (1) For compliance with the standards described in subsection
 16 (a)(1), an endorsement issued by the retired officer's law
 17 enforcement agency with or as part of the photographic
 18 identification issued under section 4 of this chapter.
 19 (2) For compliance with the standards described in subsection
 20 (a)(2), a certification issued by the state.
 21 SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.

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