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HOUSE BILL 1065*
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Short Title: Concealed Handguns/Reciprocity.

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Sponsors:

Referred to:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROVIDE RECIPROCAL CONCEALED HANDGUN RIGHTS TO
CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMIT HOLDERS OF OTHER STATES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. Article 54B of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes is amended by
adding a new section to read:

"§ 14-415.24. Reciprocity; out-of-state handgun permits.

(a) A valid concealed handgun permit or license issued by another state is valid in
North Carolina if:

(1) That state requires the appropriate background records checks
substantially equal to North Carolina requirements excluding live fire
proficiency; and

(2) A state meeting the requirements of this section grants the same right to
residents of North Carolina who have valid concealed handgun permits
in their possession while carrying concealed weapons in that state.

(b) The Attorney General shall determine which states meet the requirements of this
section, maintain a registry of such states on the North Carolina Criminal Information
Network, and make the registry available to law enforcement officers for investigative
purposes.

1 (c) The provisions of G.S. 14-415.11(a) and (c) apply to a nonresident whose
2 concealed handgun permit or license from another state is honored by North Carolina in
3 accordance with the reciprocity provisions of this section."

4 Section 2. G.S. 14-415.24(b), as enacted by this act, is effective when this act
5 becomes law. The Attorney General shall implement G.S. 14-415.24(b), as enacted by
6 Section 1 of this act, within 90 days after this act becomes law. The remainder of this act
7 becomes effective 90 days after this act becomes law.