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HOUSE BILL 442  
Committee Substitute Favorable 4/24/01

Short Title: Concealed Handgun Permit Reciprocity.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

March 1, 2001

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE RECIPROCAL CONCEALED HANDGUN RIGHTS TO  
3 CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMIT HOLDERS OF OTHER STATES.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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

7 "**§ 14-415.24. Reciprocity; out-of-state handgun permits.**

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

10 (1) Grants permits pursuant to requirements substantially equal to the  
11 requirements set forth in G.S. 14-415.12.

12 (2) Grants the same right to residents of North Carolina who have valid  
13 concealed handgun permits issued pursuant to this Article in their  
14 possession while carrying concealed weapons in that state.

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

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

22 SECTION 2. G.S. 14-415.24(b), as enacted by this act, is effective when  
23 this act becomes law. The Attorney General shall implement G.S. 14-415.24(b), as  
24 enacted by Section 1 of this act, within 60 days after this act becomes law. The  
25 remainder of this act becomes effective 60 days after this act becomes law.