House Civil Justice Subcommittee Am. #1

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1498 House Bill No. 1158*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by deleting subsection (a).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307(b)(1), is amended by deleting "unlawfully".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by deleting subsection (e).

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by deleting subsection (g).

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1308, is amended by deleting the section.

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1313(a), is amended by deleting "lawfully carries a handgun pursuant to § 39-17-1307(g)" and substituting "is not prohibited from possessing a firearm".

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1364, is amended by deleting "§ 39-17-1307, or".

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1351, is amended by deleting the language "handgun" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm" and by deleting the language "handguns" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearms".

SECTION 9. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1351(r)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead:

(1) A facially valid handgun permit, firearms permit, weapons permit, or license issued by another state shall be valid in this state according to its terms and shall be treated as if it is a firearm carry permit issued by this state.

SECTION 10. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1365, is amended by deleting the language "handgun" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm".

SECTION 11. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1366, is amended by deleting the language "handgun" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm" and by deleting the language "handguns" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearms".

SECTION 12. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-16-702(b), is amended by deleting the language "handgun carry permit" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm carry permit".

SECTION 13. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1309(e)(8)(B), is amended by deleting the language "handgun carry permit" and substituting instead the language "firearm carry permit".

SECTION 14. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1313(a), is amended by deleting the language "handgun carry permit" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm carry permit".

SECTION 15. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1321(c)(2), is amended by deleting the language "handgun permit" and substituting instead the language "firearm carry permit".

SECTION 16. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1350(g), is amended by deleting the language "handgun" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm".

SECTION 17. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1352(e), is amended by deleting the language "handgun carry permit" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm carry permit".

SECTION 18. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1359(g)(1), is amended by deleting the language "handgun carry permit" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "firearm carry permit".

SECTION 19. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1351(b), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting instead:

(b) Except as provided in subsection (r), a resident of Tennessee who is a United States citizen or lawful permanent resident, as defined by § 55-50-102, may apply to the department of safety for an enhanced firearm carry permit. If the applicant is at least eighteen (18) years of age and is not prohibited from possessing a firearm in this state pursuant to § 39-17-1307(b), 18 U.S.C. § 922(g), or any other state or federal law, and the applicant otherwise meets all of the requirements of this section, then the department shall issue a permit to the applicant.

SECTION 20. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1351(x)(1), is amended by deleting the language "twenty-one (21) years of age" and substituting instead the language "eighteen (18) years of age".

SECTION 21. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1325, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(c) A person or entity who is authorized to prohibit the possession of firearms on the person's or entity's property pursuant to § 39-17-1359 and who elects, pursuant to that authority, to prohibit the possession of firearms by a person lawfully carrying a firearm is not immune from civil liability with respect to a claim based on the person's or entity's adoption of a policy that prohibits weapons on the property by posting pursuant to § 39-17-1359.

SECTION 22. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.