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To require reciprocity between the District of Columbia and other States and jurisdictions with respect to the ability of individuals to carry certain concealed firearms, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. MASSIE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “DC Personal Protec-
5 tion Reciprocity Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REQUIRING RECIPROCITY BETWEEN DISTRICT OF**
2 **COLUMBIA AND OTHER JURISDICTIONS WITH**
3 **RESPECT TO CARRYING CERTAIN CON-**
4 **CEALED FIREARMS.**

5 (a) PERMITTING NONRESIDENTS WITH VALID CON-
6 CEALED CARRY LICENSES FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS
7 TO CARRY CONCEALED PISTOLS IN DISTRICT OF COLUM-
8 BIA.—Section 5 of the Act of July 8, 1932 (sec. 22–4505,
9 D.C. Official Code) is amended—

10 (1) by redesignating subsection (c) as sub-
11 section (d); and

12 (2) by inserting after subsection (b) the fol-
13 lowing new subsection:

14 “(c) The provisions of section 4(a) with respect to
15 pistols shall not apply to an individual who—

16 “(1) is not prohibited by Federal law from pos-
17 sessed, transporting, shipping, or receiving a fire-
18 arm (as defined in section 921(a)(3) of title 18,
19 United States Code);

20 “(2) is carrying a valid license or permit which
21 is issued pursuant to the law of a State and which
22 permits the individual to carry a concealed firearm
23 (as so defined); and

24 “(3) is carrying a valid identification document
25 containing a photograph of the individual.”

1 (b) ISSUANCE OF LICENSES BY DISTRICT OF COLUM-
2 BIA TO NONRESIDENTS.—

3 (1) ISSUANCE OF LICENSE TO NONRESIDENTS
4 HOLDING VALID LICENSES FROM OTHER JURISDIC-
5 TIONS.—Section 6(a) of such Act (sec. 22–4506,
6 D.C. Official Code) is amended—

7 (A) by striking “The Chief” and inserting
8 “(1) The Chief”;

9 (B) by striking “or of a person having a
10 bona fide residence or place of business within
11 the United States and a license to carry a pistol
12 concealed upon his or her person issued by the
13 lawful authorities of any State or subdivision of
14 the United States,”; and

15 (C) by adding at the end the following new
16 paragraph:

17 “(2) The Chief shall, upon the application of a person
18 having a bona fide residence or place of business within
19 the United States and a license to carry a pistol concealed
20 upon his or her person issued by the lawful authorities
21 of any State or subdivision of the United States, issue a
22 license to such person to carry a pistol concealed upon his
23 or her person within the District of Columbia for not more
24 than 2 years from the date of issue.”.

1 (2) ISSUANCE OF LICENSE TO NONRESIDENTS
2 FROM STATES PERMITTING CONCEALED CARRY
3 WITHOUT LICENSE.—Section 6(b) of such Act (sec.
4 22–4506(b), D.C. Official Code) is amended by
5 striking “; provided,” and all that follows and insert-
6 ing a period.

7 (c) RECIPROCITY AGREEMENTS WITH OTHER
8 STATES FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA RESIDENTS HOLD-
9 ING VALID DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LICENSES.—Section
10 6 of such Act (sec. 22–4506, D.C. Official Code) is amend-
11 ed by adding at the end the following new subsection:

12 “(f) The Chief shall enter into reciprocity agreements
13 with each other State that requires such an agreement in
14 order to grant recognition to a license to carry a concealed
15 firearm which is issued by another State.”.

16 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

17 This Act and the amendments made by this Act shall
18 take effect upon the date of the enactment of this Act,
19 except that the amendments made by section 2(b) shall
20 apply with respect to applications for licenses which are
21 submitted on or after October 23, 2014.