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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to concealed weapons or concealed firearms licensing; amending s. 790.06, F.S.; requiring an applicant to have undergone a mental health evaluation and been determined to be competent or provide a letter from a specified profession as to competency; providing an effective date.

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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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Section 1. Paragraph (n) of subsection (2) of section 790.06, Florida Statutes, is redesignated as paragraph (o), a new paragraph (n) is added to that subsection, and paragraph (m) of that subsection is amended to read:

790.06 License to carry concealed weapon or firearm.-

- (2) The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services shall issue a license if the applicant:
- (m) Has not been issued an injunction that is currently in force and effect and that restrains the applicant from committing acts of domestic violence or acts of repeat violence; and
- (n) Has undergone a mental health evaluation conducted by a clinical psychologist or a psychiatrist, as those terms are defined in s. 394.455, and has been determined to be competent and of sound mind or provides a letter from a medical

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professional licensed under chapter 458 or chapter 459	stating
that the professional has examined the individual and t	<u>the</u>
individual is not suffering from any serious mental ill	lness; and
Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 202	20.

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