HOUSE BILL 1749

By Matheny

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1351, relative to handgun carry permits.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1351(x), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision:

(5) An applicant shall not be required to pay the application and processing fee required by subdivision (x)(2) if the applicant is a retired federal, state, or local law enforcement officer, as defined in § 39-11-106, and the applicant resides in this state and retired in good standing as certified by the chief law enforcement officer of the organization from which the applicant retired.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to applications made on or after that date.