SENATE BILL 2475

By Akbari

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13, relative to firearms.

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

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

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1313(a), is amended by deleting "or who lawfully carries a handgun pursuant to § 39-17-1307(g)".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1366, is amended by deleting the section and substituting instead the following:

- (a) A concealed handgun carry permit issued prior to July 1, 2024, is not eligible for renewal and remains valid until its expiration; provided, that the permit holder 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.
- (b) A person issued a concealed handgun carry permit may exchange the permit for an enhanced handgun carry permit upon payment of a processing fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) and proof of successful completion of a handgun safety course in accordance with § 39-17-1351(e); provided, that the permit holder 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.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.