
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1884 Session of
1991

INTRODUCED BY OLIVER, RIEGER, GIGLIOTTI, TRELLO, MICHLOVIC,
WILLIAMS, KOSINSKI, THOMAS AND BISHOP, JULY 8, 1991

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, JULY 8, 1991

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the place of
3 firearm license application; and requiring photographs to
4 appear on firearms license.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. Section 6109(b) and (e)(3) of Title 18 of the
8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:

9 § 6109. Licenses.

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11 (b) Place of application.--An individual who is 21 years of
12 age or older may apply to a sheriff for a license to carry a
13 firearm concealed on or about his person or in a vehicle within
14 this Commonwealth. If the applicant is a resident of this
15 Commonwealth, he shall make application with the sheriff of the
16 county in which he resides [or, if a resident of a city of the
17 first class, with the chief of police of that city].

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1 (e) Issuance of license.--

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3 (3) The license shall bear the name, address, date of
4 birth, race, sex, citizenship, Social Security number,
5 height, weight, color of hair, color of eyes and signature of
6 the licensee; the signature of the sheriff issuing the
7 license; the reason for issuance; and the period of
8 validation. The sheriff [may] shall also require a photograph
9 of the licensee on the license. The original license shall be
10 issued to the applicant. The first copy of the license shall
11 be forwarded to the commissioner within seven days of the
12 date of issue, and a second copy shall be retained by the
13 issuing authority for a period of six years.

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15 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.