

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1287 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY METCALFE, BAKER, MARSHALL, METZGAR, MILLARD, READSHAW, MCGINNIS, TALLMAN, MALONEY, KAUFFMAN, GROVE, FARINA, RAPP, GILLEN, WARD, GABLER, DUSH, ROAE, TOPPER, PHILLIPS-HILL, ROTHMAN AND LAWRENCE, JUNE 5, 2015

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, JUNE 7, 2016

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, in firearms and other dangerous
3 articles, further providing for licenses and the Firearms
4 License Validation System.

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

7 Section 1. Section 6109(1)(2) of Title 18 of the
8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

9 § 6109. Licenses.

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11 (1) Firearms License Validation System.--

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13 (2) (i) Notwithstanding any other law regarding the
14 confidentiality of information and subject to the provisions
15 of subparagraph (ii), inquiries to the Firearms License
16 Validation System regarding the validity of any Pennsylvania
17 license to carry a firearm may only be made by law

1 enforcement personnel acting within the scope of their
2 official duties.

3 (ii) Information from the Firearms License
4 Validation System may not be provided to law enforcement
5 personnel in a State that has not entered into a <--
6 reciprocity agreement with the Commonwealth under
7 subsection (k). STATE THAT DOES NOT PROVIDE A RECIPROCAL <--
8 PRIVILEGE FOR RESIDENTS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH LICENSED TO
9 CARRY FIREARMS.

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