

Regular Session, 2010
HOUSE BILL NO. 1260
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL

ACT No. 942

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.1(C), relative to the possession of a firearm or carrying a
3 concealed weapon by a person convicted of certain felonies; to remove the
4 authorization for law enforcement to issue permits allowing certain felons to possess
5 firearms or carry concealed weapons; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 14:95.1(C) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §95.1. Possession of firearm or carrying concealed weapon by a person convicted
9 of certain felonies

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11 C. ~~Except as otherwise specifically provided, this Section shall not apply to~~
12 ~~the following cases:~~

13 ~~(1) The provisions of this Section prohibiting the possession of firearms and~~
14 ~~carrying concealed weapons by persons who have been convicted of certain felonies~~
15 ~~shall not apply to any person who has not been convicted of any felony for a period~~
16 ~~of ten years from the date of completion of sentence, probation, parole, or suspension~~
17 ~~of sentence.~~

18 ~~(2) Upon completion of sentence, probation, parole, or suspension of~~
19 ~~sentence the convicted felon shall have the right to apply to the sheriff of the parish~~
20 ~~in which he resides, or in the case of Orleans Parish the superintendent of police, for~~
21 ~~a permit to possess firearms. The felon shall be entitled to possess the firearm upon~~
22 ~~the issuing of the permit.~~

