ACT No. 242

Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 489

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1379.3(C)(3) and (J)(3), relative to concealed handgun
3	permits; to remove requirement that a person be a resident of Louisiana for six
4	months prior to applying for a concealed handgun permit in order to be eligible for
5	the permit; and to provide for related matters.
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
7	Section 1. R.S. $40:1379.3(C)(3)$ and $(J)(3)$ are hereby amended and reenacted to read
8	as follows:
9	§1379.3. Statewide permits for concealed handguns; application procedures;
10	definitions
11	* * *
12	C. To qualify for a concealed handgun permit, a Louisiana resident shall:
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14	(3) Be a resident of the state and have been a resident for six months or
15	longer immediately preceding the filing of the application.
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17	J. For the purposes of this Section, the following terms shall have the
18	meanings ascribed herein:
19	* * *
20	(3) "Resident" means a person who maintains a dwelling in this state and is
21	physically present in this state at least fifty-one percent of each calendar year.
22	However, a person who maintains a dwelling in this state but is not physically
23	present in this state at least fifty-one percent of each calendar year is still considered
24	to be a resident for purposes of this Section if he is on U.S. military duty in another

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state or is attending school in another state. is legally domiciled in Louisiana. An individual shall prove legal domicile by providing a copy of a valid Louisiana driver's license or an official Louisiana identification card. Notwithstanding anything in this Section to the contrary, a person who maintains a dwelling in this state but is residing elsewhere as a member of the U.S. United States military or as a student is still considered to be a resident for the purposes of this Section.

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