

Regular Session, 2011
HOUSE BILL NO. 489

ACT No. 242

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

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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:

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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~~

