

2022 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

LAW ENFORCEMENT. To urge and request the Louisiana State Police to equip each troop headquarters with electronic fingerprinting capabilities.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To urge and request the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police,
3 to equip each troop headquarters with electronic fingerprinting capabilities and to
4 transmit fingerprints submitted as part of a concealed handgun permit application to
5 the concealed handgun permit unit for processing.

6 WHEREAS, every qualified Louisiana resident has the right to apply for and receive
7 a concealed handgun permit; and

8 WHEREAS, the office of state police is required by law to issue timely and without
9 delay a concealed handgun permit to every qualified applicant; and

10 WHEREAS, the application process requires a copy of fingerprints to be submitted
11 in addition to the application and appropriate funds; and

12 WHEREAS, applicants are required to resolve any issues with inadequate
13 fingerprints within ten business days of the request by the department or the application will
14 be denied; and

15 WHEREAS, the issuance of the concealed handgun permit is made more onerous to
16 the applicant when travel to state police headquarters is required for another fingerprinting;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, the office of state police is the only entity that shall issue a concealed

