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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Badon to Reengrossed House Bill No. 98 by Representative Thompson

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "enact" and before "R.S. 40:1379.1.1," insert "R.S. 14:95.1.4 and"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 11, after "fees;" and before "and" insert "to create the crime of unlawful sales
5 of firearms; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for verification of completion of a
6 firearms safety or training course; to provide for a limitation of liability;"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, between lines 13 and 14 insert the following:

9 "Section 1. R.S. 14:95.1.4 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

10 §95.1.4. Unlawful sale of firearms

11 A. It shall be unlawful for the holder of a Federal Firearms License to sell
12 any firearm without verification that the purchaser has completed a firearms safety
13 or training course as provided for in Subsection B of this Section.

14 B. A purchaser shall verify that he has completed a firearms safety or
15 training course by any of the following:

16 (1) Completion of any National Rifle Association firearms safety or training
17 course conducted by a National Rifle Association certified instructor.

18 (2) Completion of any Department of Public Safety and Corrections
19 approved firearms safety or training course or class available to the general public
20 offered by a law enforcement agency, college, private or public institution,
21 organization, or firearms training school.

22 (3) Completion of any law enforcement firearms safety or training course or
23 class approved by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and offered for
24 correctional officers, investigators, special deputies, or any division or subdivision
25 of law enforcement or security enforcement.

26 (4) Completion of any firearms safety or training course approved by the
27 Department of Public Safety and Corrections.

28 (5) Completion of a law enforcement training academy program certified by
29 the Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training; however, any person retired
30 from full-time service as a Louisiana peace officer need only demonstrate that he
31 was properly certified by the Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training at the
32 time of retirement.

33 (6) Completion of a firearm and hunter education course approved by the
34 Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and authorized pursuant to the provisions of
35 R.S. 56:699.5.

36 (7) Completion of arms training while serving with the armed forces of the
37 United States or the national guard.

38 (8) Possession of a current permit to carry a concealed handgun issued
39 pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 40:1379.3.

40 C.(1) A photocopy of a certificate of completion of any of the courses or
41 classes, an affidavit from the instructor, school, organization, or entity that conducted

1 or taught the course or class attesting to the completion of the course or class by the
2 purchaser, or a copy of any document which shows completion of the course shall
3 constitute evidence of qualification pursuant to Subsection B of this Section. Such
4 proof shall be deemed to satisfy the requirements of this Section regardless of when
5 the training or safety course was completed.

6 (2) It shall be illegal to intentionally present false, fraudulent, altered, or
7 counterfeit documents to prove training in firearms in order to purchase a firearm.

8 D.(1) Whoever violates the provisions of this Section by intentionally selling
9 a firearm to a person who does not meet the criteria provided for in Subsection B of
10 this Section shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars for a first offense, and
11 not more than one thousand dollars for a second or subsequent offense.

12 (2) Whoever violates the provisions of this Section by intentionally
13 presenting false, fraudulent, altered, or counterfeit documents to prove training in
14 firearms in order to purchase a firearm shall be fined not more than one thousand
15 dollars, imprisoned for not more than six months, or both. In addition, no person
16 convicted of a violation of this Paragraph shall be eligible to purchase a firearm.

17 E. No Federal Firearms Licensee shall be liable for acts committed by the
18 purchaser, unless the seller had actual knowledge at the time of the purchase that the
19 purchaser was ineligible to purchase the firearm pursuant to the provisions of this
20 Section."

21 AMENDMENT NO. 4

22 On page 1, line 14, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."

23 AMENDMENT NO. 5

24 On page 6, line 1, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

25 AMENDMENT NO. 6

26 On page 6, line 15, change "Section 3." to "Section 4."