



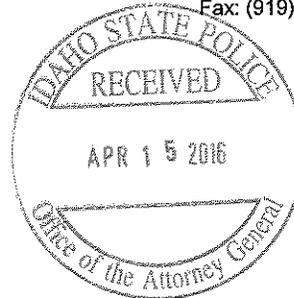
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April 12, 2016



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Dear Ms. Altig:

Pursuant to North Carolina General Statute §14-415.24, a valid concealed handgun permit or license issued by another state is valid and recognized in North Carolina. The North Carolina Attorney General's Office is required by this same law to inquire of the states annually if a valid North Carolina concealed handgun permit is recognized in the other states and whether a North Carolina resident may apply for a concealed handgun permit in the other states based on a North Carolina issued permit.

Therefore, I am writing to inquire as to whether your state will recognize a valid North Carolina issued concealed carry permit and whether a North Carolina resident may apply for a concealed handgun permit in your state based on a valid North Carolina permit.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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May 9, 2016

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Re: North Carolina and Idaho Concealed Weapons License Reciprocity

Dear Ms. Earnhardt:

This is in response to your letter to me dated April 12, 2016.

The State of Idaho recognizes and honors all other states' concealed weapons licenses/permits as long as they are current and valid in their state of issuance and in the licensee's physical possession. IDAHO CODE § 18-3302(5)(g). Idaho law does not require formal reciprocity agreement. Therefore, Idaho's reciprocity for North Carolina's concealed weapons licenses remains in full force and effect.

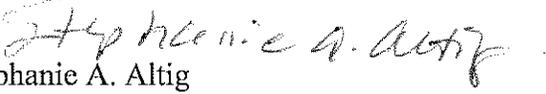
A North Carolina resident may apply for an Idaho concealed weapons license. Idaho has two concealed weapons licenses. The first is the "original" and any anyone not otherwise disqualified may apply for that license. IDAHO CODE § 18-3302(7) and (11). The second is the "enhanced" concealed weapons license. A person who is not a legal resident of the state of Idaho may apply for the Idaho "enhanced" license if he holds a current license or permit to carry concealed weapons issued by his state of residence and is not otherwise disqualified. IDAHO CODE §§ 18-3302K(4)(b).

Idaho's posts the results of its inquiries to sister states concerning concealed weapons license reciprocity on the Idaho State Police website at:
<https://www.isp.idaho.gov/BCI/concealedWeapons.html>. When you click on the name of a state in the right hand column, it will open that state's most recent response to Idaho when Idaho inquired to that state about reciprocity. Idaho makes these inquiries every year on or about July 1 or earlier if another state's schedule prefers.

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If I can answer any questions please do not hesitate to call or send me an email.

Sincerely,


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