



NEVADA SHERIFFS' & CHIEFS' ASSOCIATION

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NEVADA SET TO RECOGNIZE OTHER STATES' CARRY CONCEALED WEAPON PERMITS EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2010

At the May 2010 meeting of the Nevada Sheriffs' and Chiefs' Association (NvSCA), the members voted to recognize the carry concealed weapon permits of thirteen states as being valid in Nevada effective July 1, 2010. The states are Alaska, Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Rhode Island, Tennessee and West Virginia.

Nevada Revised Statute 202.3689 requires the Nevada Department of Public Safety (NVDPS) to review each states' statutes that are used to issue a carrying concealed weapon permit. NVDPS is directed to do the following:

1. Determine which states have an electronic database which is accessible 24 hours a day that identifies each individual who holds a valid permit to carry a concealed weapon issued by the State.
2. Determine which states have requirements for the issuance of a permit to carry a concealed weapon that are substantially similar to or more stringent than Nevada's requirements.
3. These results and recommendations are to be reported to the membership of the Nevada Sheriffs' and Chiefs' Association for review and vote on these recommendations.

The list of qualifying States will be posted on the NVDPS website (www.dps.state.nv.us) by July 1, 2010.

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