

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 62.1-03-01 of  
2 the North Dakota Century Code, relating to carrying a handgun; to amend and reenact sections  
3 62.1-04-02 and 62.1-04-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to carrying concealed  
4 firearms or dangerous weapons; and to provide a penalty.

5 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

6 **SECTION 1.** A new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 62.1-03-01 of the North Dakota  
7 Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

8 An individual who is not otherwise precluded from possessing a class 2 firearm  
9 and dangerous weapon license under chapter 62.1-04 and has possessed for at  
10 least one year a valid driver's license or nondriver identification card issued by  
11 the department of transportation.

12 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 62.1-04-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
13 amended and reenacted as follows:

14 **62.1-04-02. Carrying concealed firearms or dangerous weapons prohibited.**

15 1. An individual, other than a law enforcement officer, may not carry any firearm or  
16 dangerous weapon concealed unless the individual is licensed to do so or exempted  
17 under this chapter.

18 2. An individual who is not otherwise precluded from possessing a class 2 firearm and  
19 dangerous weapon license under this chapter and who has possessed for at least one  
20 year a valid driver's license or nondriver identification card issued by the department of  
21 transportation may carry a firearm concealed under this chapter.

22 **SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Section 62.1-04-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
23 amended and reenacted as follows:

1       **62.1-04-04. Producing license on demand.**

2       1. Every ~~person~~individual while carrying a concealed firearm or dangerous weapon, for  
3       which a license to carry concealed is required, shall have on one's person the license  
4       issued by this or another state and shall give it to any law enforcement officer for an  
5       inspection upon demand by the officer. The failure of any ~~person~~individual to give the  
6       license to the officer is prima facie evidence ~~that the person~~that the individual is illegally  
7       carrying a firearm or dangerous weapon concealed.

8       2. Every individual carrying a concealed firearm under the authority granted in  
9       subsection 2 of section 62.1-04-02 shall inform a law enforcement officer of the  
10      individual's possession of a concealed weapon upon the initiation of a traffic stop or  
11      any other in-person contact initiated by a law enforcement officer.

12      3. Every individual carrying a concealed firearm under the authority granted in  
13      subsection 2 of section 62.1-04-02 must have on one's person a valid driver's license  
14      or nondriver identification card issued by the department of transportation or a digital  
15      image of one's valid driver's license or nondriver identification card on a mobile device  
16      and shall provide the license or card to any law enforcement officer for inspection  
17      upon demand by the officer.