

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE BILL 2590

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to crimes and punishments; amending 21 O.S. 2011, Section 1290.9, as amended by Section 30, Chapter 259, O.S.L. 2012 (21 O.S. Supp. 2013, Section 1290.9), which relates to the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act; modifying certain eligibility requirement; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 1290.9, as amended by Section 30, Chapter 259, O.S.L. 2012 (21 O.S. Supp. 2013, Section 1290.9), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1290.9

ELIGIBILITY

The following requirements shall apply to any person making application to the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation for a handgun license pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act. The person must:

1. Be a citizen or permanent resident of the United States;
2. Establish a residency in the State of Oklahoma. For purposes of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act, the term "residency"

1 shall apply to any person who either possesses a valid Oklahoma
2 driver license or state photo identification card, and physically
3 maintains a residence in this state or has permanent military orders
4 within this state and possesses a valid driver license from another
5 state where such person claims residency;

6 3. Be at least twenty-one (21) years of age;

7 4. Complete a firearms safety and training course and
8 demonstrate competence and qualifications with the type of pistol to
9 be carried by the person as provided in Section 1290.14 of this
10 title, and submit proof of training and qualification or an
11 exemption for training and qualification as authorized by Section
12 1290.14 of this title;

13 5. Submit the required fee and complete the application process
14 as provided in Section 1290.12 of this title; and

15 6. Comply in good faith with the provisions of the Oklahoma
16 Self-Defense Act.

17 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2014.

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