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Summary of Substantive Changes: Proposed Rules - Arkansas Concealed Handgun Carry License Rules

SUMMARY OF SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES "Arkansas Concealed Handgun Carry License Rules"

1. Rule 1.2 – The definitions for "Committed," "Crime of Violence," "Enhanced Training," "Passenger Terminal of an Airport," "Possession," "Resident," and "Storage" were added or amended.
2. Chapter 4 – Time limits for the submission of required documentation are imposed by Rule 4.2 and 4.3.
3. Rule 5.0-5.2 – Renewal fees are designated as "non-refundable," and applicants are required to provide the Department with documentation to resolve outstanding criminal history within a certain time frame.
4. Rule 6.0 – The statutory replacement fee is incorporated into the Rule.
5. Rule 7.2 – This Rule enumerates the "prohibited places" for a CHCL holder with a non-enhanced license.
6. Rule 7.3 – This Rule enumerates the "prohibited places" for an Enhanced-CHCL holder.
7. Rules 7.4 and 7.5 – The terms and restrictions of an Enhanced-CHCL are established.
8. Rule 8.0 – The Rule clarifies the duties of licensees whose CHCL has been suspended.
9. Rule 9.0 – The authority of the Director to revoke a license under the law is restated.
10. Rule 13.2 – The new requirements for active duty military members to substitute for live-fire are restated.
11. Rule 13.3 – The training requirements for an Enhanced-CHCL are established.
12. Rule 14.0 – That a CHCL instructor may not provide online training is clarified.
13. Rules 14.2 and 14.3 – These Rules establish the requirements for an instructor to teach enhanced training.
14. Rule 15.3 – An instructor may not use the ASP star in advertising or otherwise indicate associations with ASP.
15. Rule 15.6 – Instructors are required to inform the Department of arrests that could lead to revocation.
16. Chapter 17 – This Chapter regulates the establishment and approval of "firearm-sensitive areas."
17. Other changes were non-substantive and were made for the purposes of clarification and brevity.