

YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR KNOWING YOUR CRIMINAL HISTORY BEFORE APPLYING:

UNDER SECTION III OF THE LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED
HANDGUN APPLICATION, QUESTION (6) ASKS:

“ARE YOU PROHIBITED BY FEDERAL LAW FROM POSSESSING A FIREARM?”
UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE GUN CONTROL ACT OF 1968:

**(B5) Are there certain persons who cannot legally receive or possess firearms
and/or ammunition?**

Yes, a person who –

- (1) Has been convicted in any court of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding 1 year;
- (2) Is a fugitive from justice;
- (3) Is an unlawful user of or addicted to any controlled substance;
- (4) Has been adjudicated as a mental defective or has been committed to a mental institution;
- (5) Is an alien illegally or unlawfully in the United States or an alien admitted to the United States under a nonimmigrant visa;
- (6) Has been discharged from the Armed Forces under dishonorable conditions;
- (7) Having been a citizen of the United States, has renounced his or her citizenship;
- (8) Is subject to a court order that restrains the person from harassing, stalking, or threatening an intimate partner or child of such intimate partner; or
- (9) Has been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence cannot lawfully receive, possess, ship, or transport a firearm.

A person who is under indictment or information for a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding 1 year cannot lawfully receive a firearm. Such person may continue to lawfully possess firearms obtained prior to the indictment or information. [18 U.S.C. 922(g) and (n), 27 CFR 478.32]

**IF ANY OF THE ABOVE APPLIES TO YOU,
DO NOT APPLY!**

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HANDGUN APPLICATION, QUESTION (6) ASKS:

“ARE YOU UNDER INDICTMENT FOR, OR OTHERWISE CHARGED WITH, A
FELONY; OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF (OR ADJUDICATED A
JUVENILE DELINQUENT) OR PLEADED GUILTY TO A FELONY...?”

**IF YOU HAVE PENDING CHARGES FOR, OR HAVE BEEN
CONVICTED OF ANY FELONY, AS A JUVENILE OR AN
ADULT EVER, REGARDLESS OF HOWEVER LONG AGO IT
MAY HAVE BEEN, THEN
DO NOT APPLY!**

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HANDGUN APPLICATION, QUESTION (7A) ASKS:

“ARE YOU UNDER INDICTMENT FOR, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OR
PLEADED GUILTY TO AN OFFENSE THAT INVOLVES ILLEGAL POSSESSION, USE,
SALE, ADMINISTRATION, DISTRIBUTION, TRAFFICKING IN A DRUG OF ABUSE?”

**IF YOU HAVE PENDING CHARGES FOR, OR HAVE EVER
BEEN CONVICTED OF ANY DRUG OFFENSE, (INCLUDING
MARIJUANA & DRUG PARAPHERNALIA), OTHER THAN A
MINOR MISDEMEANOR CONVICTION (AS A JUVENILE OR ADULT)
DO NOT APPLY!**

UNDER SECTION III OF THE LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED
HANDGUN APPLICATION, QUESTION (8) ASKS:

“HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF OR PLEADED GUILTY TO A
CHARGE OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE?”

IF YOU HAVE PENDING CHARGES FOR, OR HAVE BEEN CONVICTED OF ANY CHARGE OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE EVER, INCLUDING D.V. BY THREATS,

(AS A JUVENILE OR ADULT)

DO NOT APPLY!

(If you have any questions about a conviction that may show up on your background, ask now!)

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- You must not be currently subject to a civil protection order, a temporary protection order, or a protection order issued by a court of another state.
- You must not be a fugitive from justice (no active warrant for arrest).
- Within three years of the date of the application, you cannot have been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor offense of violence. (Assault, Menacing by Stalking, Aggravated Menacing, Menacing, Arson, Inciting Violence, Riot, Inducing Panic, Escape, Child Endangering, Intimidation in a Criminal Case).
- Within five years of the date of the application, you cannot have been convicted of or pleaded guilty to **two or more** violations of Assault or Negligent Assault.
- Within ten years of the date of the application, you cannot have been convicted of or pleaded guilty to Resisting Arrest.
- You must not have been adjudicated as a mental defective, been committed to any mental institution, you cannot have been found by a court to be a mentally ill person subject to hospitalization, or under adjudication of mental incompetence.
- You cannot be drug dependent, in danger of being drug dependent, or a chronic alcoholic.
- If you are charged with an offense during the application process OR after your Permit is issued, the Sheriff will suspend your application process/Permit until your case is resolved.