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H.B. No. 3747

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the issuance of a concealed handgun license to certain retired judicial officers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 411.201(a), Government Code, is amended by amending Subdivision (2) and adding Subdivision (3) to read as follows:

(2) "Federal judge" means:

(A) a judge of a United States court of appeals;

(B) a judge of a United States district court;

(C) a judge of a United States bankruptcy court;

or

(D) a magistrate judge of a United States

district court.

(3) "Retired judicial officer" means:

(A) a visiting ~~[special]~~ judge appointed under Section 26.023 or 26.024; ~~[or]~~

(B) a senior judge designated under Section 75.001 or a judicial officer as designated or defined by Section 75.001, 831.001, or 836.001; or

(C) a retired federal judge who is a resident of this state.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as

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1 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
2 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
3 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.