

# HB3926



## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB3926

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### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

430 ILCS 66/5

Amends the Firearm Concealed Carry Act. Defines "substantially similar". Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning safety.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Firearm Concealed Carry Act is amended by  
5 changing Section 5 as follows:

6 (430 ILCS 66/5)

7 Sec. 5. Definitions. As used in this Act:

8 "Applicant" means a person who is applying for a license to  
9 carry a concealed firearm under this Act.

10 "Board" means the Concealed Carry Licensing Review Board.

11 "Concealed firearm" means a loaded or unloaded handgun  
12 carried on or about a person completely or mostly concealed  
13 from view of the public or on or about a person within a  
14 vehicle.

15 "Department" means the Department of State Police.

16 "Director" means the Director of State Police.

17 "Handgun" means any device which is designed to expel a  
18 projectile or projectiles by the action of an explosion,  
19 expansion of gas, or escape of gas that is designed to be held  
20 and fired by the use of a single hand. "Handgun" does not  
21 include:

22 (1) a stun gun or taser;

23 (2) a machine gun as defined in item (i) of paragraph

1 (7) of subsection (a) of Section 24-1 of the Criminal Code  
2 of 2012;

3 (3) a short-barreled rifle or shotgun as defined in  
4 item (ii) of paragraph (7) of subsection (a) of Section  
5 24-1 of the Criminal Code of 2012; or

6 (4) any pneumatic gun, spring gun, paint ball gun, or  
7 B-B gun which expels a single globular projectile not  
8 exceeding .18 inch in diameter, or which has a maximum  
9 muzzle velocity of less than 700 feet per second, or which  
10 expels breakable paint balls containing washable marking  
11 colors.

12 "Law enforcement agency" means any federal, State, or local  
13 law enforcement agency, including offices of State's Attorneys  
14 and the Office of the Attorney General.

15 "License" means a license issued by the Department of State  
16 Police to carry a concealed handgun.

17 "Licensee" means a person issued a license to carry a  
18 concealed handgun.

19 "Municipality" has the meaning ascribed to it in Section 1  
20 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution.

21 "Substantially similar" means any license that is issued by  
22 another governmental entity in which the person undergoes a  
23 background check and submits proof of any firearm training.

24 "Unit of local government" has the meaning ascribed to it  
25 in Section 1 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution.

26 (Source: P.A. 98-63, eff. 7-9-13.)

1           Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
2    becoming law.