

~~(5) ANY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PROVIDER WHILE ACTING WITHIN THE COURSE AND SCOPE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT;~~

~~(6) HOLDERS OF SPECIAL POLICE COMMISSIONS ISSUED UNDER ARTICLE 41, TITLE 4, SUBTITLE 9 OF THE CODE;~~

~~(7) UNIFORMED SECURITY GUARDS, SPECIAL RAILWAY POLICE, AND WATCHMEN WHO HAVE BEEN CLEARED FOR SUCH EMPLOYMENT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE;~~

~~(8) GUARDS IN THE EMPLOY OF A BANK, SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, OR EXPRESS OR ARMORED CAR AGENCY;~~

~~(9) PRIVATE DETECTIVES AND EMPLOYEES OF PRIVATE DETECTIVES PREVIOUSLY LICENSED UNDER FORMER ARTICLE 56, § 90A OF THE CODE, AND~~

~~(10) ANY PERSON WHOSE EMPLOYMENT, LIVELIHOOD, OR PERSONAL SAFETY MAY BE DEPENDENT ON THE ABILITY TO LEGALLY POSSESS AND USE BODY ARMOR, AND WHO HAS BEEN ISSUED A PERMIT UNDER SUBSECTION (D) OF THIS SECTION.~~

~~(D) (1) THE SECRETARY HAS THE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE, DENY, OR IMPOSE CERTAIN CONDITIONS OR LIMITATIONS ON A PERMIT TO POSSESS, PURCHASE, OR OWN BULLETPROOF BODY ARMOR.~~

~~(2) A PERMIT TO POSSESS, PURCHASE, OR OWN BULLETPROOF BODY ARMOR SHALL BE ISSUED WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME BY THE SECRETARY, UPON APPLICATION UNDER OATH THEREFOR, TO ANY PERSON WHO THE SECRETARY FINDS:~~

~~(I) IS LIKELY TO USE BODY ARMOR IN A SAFE AND LAWFUL MANNER; AND~~

~~(II) HAS A REASONABLE NEED FOR SUCH PROTECTION UNDER THE INDIVIDUAL'S CIRCUMSTANCES.~~

~~(3) THE SECRETARY SHALL ADOPT A PROCEDURE TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY APPROVAL FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS IN IMMEDIATE NEED TO USE BULLETPROOF BODY ARMOR.~~

~~(4) IN MAKING THE DETERMINATION TO ISSUE A PERMIT TO POSSESS, PURCHASE, AND OWN BULLETPROOF BODY ARMOR, THE SECRETARY SHALL CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:~~

~~(I) THE PERSON'S CONTINUED EMPLOYMENT, IF APPROPRIATE;~~

~~(II) THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE;~~

~~(III) ANY RELEVANT EVIDENCE; AND~~

~~(IV) THE TOTALITY OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES.~~