- (4) Any person whose application for a permit or renewal of a permit has not been acted upon by the Secretary within 90 days after the application was submitted, may request the Board for a hearing by filing a written request for such a hearing with the Board.
- [(i)] (J) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subheading, the following persons may, to the extent authorized prior to March 27, 1972, and subject to the conditions specified in this subsection and subsection [(j)] (K) hereof, continue to wear, carry, or transport a handgun without a permit:
- (1) Holders of special police commissions issued under Title 4, Subtitle 9 of Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, while actually on duty on the property for which the commission was issued or while traveling to or from such duty;
- (2) Uniformed security guards, special railway police, and watchmen who have been cleared for such employment by the Department of State Police, while in the course of their employment or while traveling to or from the place of employment;
- (3) Guards in the employ of a bank, savings and loan association, building and loan association, or express or armored car agency, while in the course of their employment or while traveling to or from the place of employment; and
- (4) Private detectives and employees of private detectives previously licensed under former Article 56, § 90A of the Code, while in the course of their employment or while traveling to or from the place of employment.
- [(j)] (K) Each person referred to in subsection [(i)] (J) hereof shall, within one year after March 27, 1972, make application for a permit as provided in this section. Such application shall include evidence satisfactory to the Secretary of the State Police that the applicant is trained and qualified in the use of handguns. The right to wear, carry, or transport a handgun provided for in subsection [(i)] (J) hereof shall terminate at the expiration of one year after March 27, 1972, if no such application is made, or immediately upon notice to the applicant that his application for a permit has not been approved.
- [(k)](L) As used in this section, Secretary means the Secretary of the State Police, acting directly or through duly authorized officers and agents of the Secretary.
- [(1)] (M) It is unlawful for a person to whom a permit has been issued or renewed to carry, wear, or transport a handgun while he is under the influence of alcohol or drugs. A person violating this subsection is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction he shall be fined \$1,000 or be imprisoned for not more than one year or both.

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(a) No person shall engage in the business of selling, renting, or transferring regulated firearms unless he lawfully possesses and conspicuously displays at his place of business, in addition to any other license required by law, a regulated firearms dealer's license issued by the Secretary. Such license shall identify the