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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

Section 36E(b) and 443(b)

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Article 41 - Governor - Executive and Administrative Departments

Section 4-902 and 4-910

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

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Article - Business Occupations and Professions

Section 13-304(b), 13-403, and 13-502(a)

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

36E.

- (a) A permit to carry a handgun shall be issued within a reasonable time by the Superintendent of the Maryland State Police, upon application under oath therefor, to any person whom he finds:
 - (1) Is eighteen years of age or older; and
- (2) Has not been convicted of a felony or of a misdemeanor for which a sentence of imprisonment for more than one year has been imposed or, if convicted of such a crime, has been pardoned or has been granted relief pursuant to Title 18, § 925(c) of the United States Code; and
- (3) Has not been committed to any detention, training, or correctional institution for juveniles for longer than one year after an adjudication of delinquency by a juvenile court; provided, however, that a person shall not be disqualified by virtue of this paragraph (3) if, at the time of the application, more than ten years has elapsed since his release from such institution; and