

1                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to concealed weapons or firearms licenses;  
 3           amending s. 790.06, F.S.; providing an exemption from  
 4           certain restrictions for licensees holding specified state  
 5           and county offices; providing an effective date.

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 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 9           Section 1. Subsection (12) of section 790.06, Florida  
 10 Statutes, is amended to read:

11           790.06 License to carry concealed weapon or firearm.—

12           (12) No license issued pursuant to this section shall  
 13 authorize any person to carry a concealed weapon or firearm into  
 14 any place of nuisance as defined in s. 823.05; any police,  
 15 sheriff, or highway patrol station; any detention facility,  
 16 prison, or jail; any courthouse; any courtroom, except that  
 17 nothing in this section would preclude a judge from carrying a  
 18 concealed weapon or determining who will carry a concealed  
 19 weapon in his or her courtroom; any polling place; any meeting  
 20 of the governing body of a county, public school district,  
 21 municipality, or special district; any meeting of the  
 22 Legislature or a committee thereof; any school, college, or  
 23 professional athletic event not related to firearms; any school  
 24 administration building; any portion of an establishment  
 25 licensed to dispense alcoholic beverages for consumption on the  
 26 premises, which portion of the establishment is primarily  
 27 devoted to such purpose; any elementary or secondary school  
 28 facility; any career center; any college or university facility

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29 unless the licensee is a registered student, employee, or  
30 faculty member of such college or university and the weapon is a  
31 stun gun or nonlethal electric weapon or device designed solely  
32 for defensive purposes and the weapon does not fire a dart or  
33 projectile; inside the passenger terminal and sterile area of  
34 any airport, provided that no person shall be prohibited from  
35 carrying any legal firearm into the terminal, which firearm is  
36 encased for shipment for purposes of checking such firearm as  
37 baggage to be lawfully transported on any aircraft; or any place  
38 where the carrying of firearms is prohibited by federal law.  
39 Nothing in this subsection would preclude a state legislator,  
40 county commissioner, school board member, state attorney, public  
41 defender, or county constitutional officer who holds a license  
42 pursuant to this section from carrying a concealed weapon in a  
43 meeting of the governing body of which he or she is a member.  
44 Any person who willfully violates any provision of this  
45 subsection commits a misdemeanor of the second degree,  
46 punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

47 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011.