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H 835. CONCEALED CARRY FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS. TO PROVIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WITH AN EXPEDITED PROCESS AND REDUCED COSTS IN OBTAINING CONCEALED CARRY PERMITS. Article 54B of GS Chapter 14 requires a permit to carry a concealed handgun and establishes an \$80 permit application fee and a \$75 permit renewal fee, with reduced fees for certain retired sworn law enforcement officers. Act enacts new GS 14-415.19(a2) to decrease the permit application fee to \$45 and the renewal fee to \$40 for certain sworn law enforcement officers who apply for a concealed weapon permit for off-duty use and provide required documentation. Also enacts new GS 14-415.15(b1) to require that sheriff issue a temporary permit for up to 90 days upon receiving required documentation from retired and active law enforcement officers. Effective October 1, 2005.

Intro. by McGee, Moore.

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