

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 193

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, after “Licenses” insert “and Blaster’s Permits”; in line 4, strike “authorizing” and substitute “requiring”; in line 7, after “permit;” insert “requiring the State Fire Marshal to deny a certain application under certain circumstances;”; in line 8, after “permit;” insert “repealing a provision requiring an applicant for a certain license to submit the application to the local licensing authority;”; and in line 12, after “licenses” insert “and blaster’s permits”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, strike beginning with the second “be” in line 4 down through “satisfactorily” in line 5 and substitute “WORK UNDER SATISFACTORY SUPERVISION”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, in line 11, after “States” insert “OR HAS RENOUNCED UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP”; after line 13, insert:

“(6) THE APPLICANT, OR AN OFFICER, AGENT, OR EMPLOYEE OF THE APPLICANT WHO WILL BE HANDLING EXPLOSIVES, IS A FUGITIVE AS DEFINED IN § 9-401 OF THE CRIMINAL LAW ARTICLE;

“(7) THE APPLICANT, OR AN OFFICER, AGENT, OR EMPLOYEE OF THE APPLICANT WHO WILL BE HANDLING EXPLOSIVES, HAS BEEN ADJUDICATED MENTALLY DEFECTIVE AS DEFINED IN § 3-301 OF THE CRIMINAL LAW ARTICLE;

“(8) THE APPLICANT, OR AN OFFICER, AGENT, OR EMPLOYEE OF THE APPLICANT WHO WILL BE HANDLING EXPLOSIVES, HAS BEEN COMMITTED TO A MENTAL INSTITUTION;

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(9) THE APPLICANT, OR AN OFFICER, AGENT, OR EMPLOYEE OF THE APPLICANT WHO WILL BE HANDLING EXPLOSIVES, HAS BEEN DISHONORABLY DISCHARGED FROM THE UNITED STATES MILITARY;

(10) THE APPLICANT, OR AN OFFICER, AGENT, OR EMPLOYEE OF THE APPLICANT WHO WILL BE HANDLING EXPLOSIVES, IS AN ALIEN OTHER THAN AN ALIEN AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE EXPLOSIVES UNDER THE FEDERAL SAFE EXPLOSIVES ACT;

(11) THE APPLICANT, OR AN OFFICER, AGENT, OR EMPLOYEE OF THE APPLICANT WHO WILL BE HANDLING EXPLOSIVES, IS A USER OF, OR ADDICTED TO, A CONTROLLED DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE AS DEFINED IN § 5-101 OF THE CRIMINAL LAW ARTICLE;”;

and in lines 14 and 15, strike “(6)” and “(7)”, respectively, and substitute “(12)” and “(13)”, respectively.