

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5611
OFFERED BY MR. STUTZMAN OF INDIANA

Add, at the end of the bill, the following:

1 **SEC. 8. RECIPROCITY FOR THE CARRYING OF CERTAIN**
2 **CONCEALED FIREARMS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 44 of title 18, United
4 States Code, is amended by inserting after section 926C
5 the following:

6 **“§ 926D. Reciprocity for the carrying of certain con-**
7 **cealed firearms**

8 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any provision
9 of the law of any State or political subdivision thereof to
10 the contrary—

11 “(1) an individual who is not prohibited by
12 Federal law from possessing, transporting, shipping,
13 or receiving a firearm, and who is carrying a govern-
14 ment-issued photographic identification document
15 and a valid license or permit which is issued pursu-
16 ant to the law of a State and which permits the indi-
17 vidual to carry a concealed firearm, may possess or
18 carry a concealed handgun (other than a machine-
19 gun or destructive device) that has been shipped or
20 transported in interstate or foreign commerce in any

1 State other than the State of residence of the indi-
2 vidual that—

3 “(A) has a statute that allows residents of
4 the State to obtain licenses or permits to carry
5 concealed firearms; or

6 “(B) does not prohibit the carrying of con-
7 cealed firearms by residents of the State for
8 lawful purposes; and

9 “(2) an individual who is not prohibited by
10 Federal law from possessing, transporting, shipping,
11 or receiving a firearm, and who is carrying a govern-
12 ment-issued photographic identification document
13 and is entitled and not prohibited from carrying a
14 concealed firearm in the State in which the indi-
15 vidual resides otherwise than as described in para-
16 graph (1), may possess or carry a concealed hand-
17 gun (other than a machinegun or destructive device)
18 that has been shipped or transported in interstate or
19 foreign commerce in any State other than the State
20 of residence of the individual that—

21 “(A) has a statute that allows residents of
22 the State to obtain licenses or permits to carry
23 concealed firearms; or

1 “(B) does not prohibit the carrying of con-
2 cealed firearms by residents of the State for
3 lawful purposes.

4 “(b) CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS.—The posses-
5 sion or carrying of a concealed handgun in a State under
6 this section shall be subject to the same conditions and
7 limitations, except as to eligibility to possess or carry, im-
8 posed by or under Federal or State law or the law of a
9 political subdivision of a State, that apply to the posses-
10 sion or carrying of a concealed handgun by residents of
11 the State or political subdivision who are licensed by the
12 State or political subdivision to do so, or not prohibited
13 by the State from doing so.

14 “(c) UNRESTRICTED LICENSE OR PERMIT.—In a
15 State that allows the issuing authority for licenses or per-
16 mits to carry concealed firearms to impose restrictions on
17 the carrying of firearms by individual holders of such li-
18 censes or permits, an individual carrying a concealed
19 handgun under this section shall be permitted to carry a
20 concealed handgun according to the same terms author-
21 ized by an unrestricted license or permit issued to a
22 resident of the State.

23 “(d) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-
24 tion shall be construed to preempt any provision of State

1 law with respect to the issuance of licenses or permits to
2 carry concealed firearms.”.

3 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
4 for chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, is amended
5 by inserting after the item relating to section 926C the
6 following:

“926D. Reciprocity for the carrying of certain concealed firearms.”.

7 (c) SEVERABILITY.—Notwithstanding any other pro-
8 vision of this Act, if any provision of this section, or any
9 amendment made by this section, or the application of
10 such provision or amendment to any person or cir-
11 cumstance is held to be unconstitutional, this section and
12 amendments made by this section and the application of
13 such provision or amendment to other persons or cir-
14 cumstances shall not be affected thereby.

15 (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
16 this section shall take effect 90 days after the date of en-
17 actment of this Act.

