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Does the state of Maryland recognize Idaho's Concealed Weapons License?

Regular: Enhanced: Both Neither

ІDАНО СОDE § 18-3302 ІДАНО СОДЕ § 18-3302К

Does the state of Maryland require a reciprocity agreement?

If yes, is a formal agreement, such as a Memorandum of Agreement, required or will a less formal agreement, such as exchange of letters acknowledging reciprocity of our states' Concealed Weapons Licenses suffice?

Memorandum of Agreement
Exchange of Letters

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Stephanie A. Altig, Esquire Lead Deputy Attorney General Idaho State Police 700 S. Stratford Drive Meridian, Idaho 83642

Dear Ms. Altig:

Thank you for your correspondence dated July 27, 2018, asking whether or not a valid concealed handgun permit or license issued in the state of Idaho is recognized in Maryland. I certainly understand your interest in this matter.

Unfortunately, Maryland law does not recognize handgun carry permits issued by any other state. Further, Maryland law does not authorize the State to enter into reciprocity agreements with any other states concerning the recognition of out-of-state handgun carry permits.

I trust the information provided has satisfactorily addressed your question. If I may be of any assistance to your office on this, or any other issue, please do not hesitate to contact me. I may be reached at 410-653-4500.

Thank you for taking the time to bring this matter to my attention. Please be assured of my continued cooperation in all matters of mutual concern.

Sincerely,

Captain Andrew J. Rossignol Commander, Licensing Division Maryland Department of State Police

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