

103RD CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1189

AMENDMENT

In the Senate of the United States,

June 30, 1993.

Resolved, That the bill from the House of Representatives (H.R. 1189) entitled “An Act to entitle certain armored car crew members to lawfully carry a weapon in any State while protecting the security of valuable goods in interstate commerce in the service of an armored car company”, do pass with the following

AMENDMENT:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

1 ***SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.***

2 *This Act may be cited as the “Armored Car Industry*
3 *Reciprocity Act of 1993”.*

4 ***SEC. 2. FINDINGS.***

5 *Congress finds that—*

6 *(1) the distribution of goods and services to con-*
7 *sumers in the United States requires the free flow of*
8 *currency, bullion, securities, food stamps, and other*
9 *items of unusual value in interstate commerce;*

1 (2) *the armored car industry transports and*
2 *protects such items in interstate commerce, including*
3 *daily transportation of currency and food stamps val-*
4 *ued at more than \$1,000,000,000;*

5 (3) *armored car crew members are often subject*
6 *to armed attack by individuals attempting to steal*
7 *such items;*

8 (4) *to protect themselves and the items they*
9 *transport, such crew members are armed with weap-*
10 *ons;*

11 (5) *various States require both weapons training*
12 *and a criminal record background check before licens-*
13 *ing a crew member to carry a weapon; and*

14 (6) *there is a need for each State to reciprocally*
15 *accept weapons licenses of other States for armored*
16 *car crew members to assure the free and safe trans-*
17 *port of valuable items in interstate commerce.*

18 **SEC. 3. STATE RECIPROCITY OF WEAPONS LICENSES IS-**
19 **SUED TO ARMORED CAR COMPANY CREW**
20 **MEMBERS.**

21 (a) *IN GENERAL.—If an armored car crew member*
22 *employed by an armored car company has in effect a license*
23 *issued by the appropriate State agency (in the State in*
24 *which such member is primarily employed by such com-*
25 *pany) to carry a weapon while acting in the services of*

1 *such company in that State, and such State agency meets*
2 *the minimum State requirements under subsection (b), then*
3 *such crew member shall be entitled to lawfully carry any*
4 *weapon to which such license relates in any State while*
5 *such crew member is acting in the service of such company.*

6 *(b) MINIMUM STATE REQUIREMENTS.—A State agen-*
7 *cy meets the minimum State requirements of this subsection*
8 *if in issuing a weapons license to an armored car crew*
9 *member described in subsection (a), the agency requires the*
10 *crew member to provide information on an annual basis*
11 *to the satisfaction of the agency that—*

12 *(1) the crew member has received classroom and*
13 *range training in weapons safety and marksmanship*
14 *during the current year by a qualified instructor for*
15 *each weapon that the crew member is licensed to*
16 *carry; and*

17 *(2) the receipt or possession of a weapon by the*
18 *crew member would not violate Federal law, deter-*
19 *mined on the basis of a criminal record background*
20 *check conducted during the current year.*

21 **SEC. 4. RELATION TO OTHER LAWS.**

22 *This Act shall supersede any provision of State law*
23 *(or the law of any political subdivision of a State) that*
24 *is inconsistent with this Act.*

1 **SEC. 5. DEFINITIONS.**

2 *As used in this Act:*

3 (1) *The term “armored car crew member” means*
4 *an individual who provides protection for goods*
5 *transported by an armored car company.*

6 (2) *The term “armored car company” means a*
7 *company—*

8 (A) *subject to regulation under subchapter*
9 *II of chapter 105 of title 49, United States Code;*
10 *and*

11 (B) *holding the appropriated certificate,*
12 *permit, or license issued under subchapter II of*
13 *chapter 109 of such title, in order to engage in*
14 *the business of transporting and protecting cur-*
15 *rency, bullion, securities, precious metals, food*
16 *stamps, and other articles of unusual value in*
17 *interstate commerce.*

18 (3) *The term “State” means any State of the*
19 *United States or the District of Columbia.*

Attest:

Secretary.