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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the collection of certain information for
2 the issuance of nonprofessional permits to carry weapons.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 724.7, Code 2009, is amended to read as
2 follows:

3 **724.7 NONPROFESSIONAL PERMIT TO CARRY WEAPONS.**

4 1. Any person who can reasonably justify going armed may be
5 issued a nonprofessional permit to carry weapons.

6 2. Such permits shall be on a form prescribed and published
7 by the commissioner of public safety, which shall be readily
8 distinguishable from the professional permit, and shall
9 identify the holder thereof, and state the reason for the
10 issuance of the permit, and the limits of the authority
11 granted by such permit. Such permits shall not be issued for
12 a particular weapon and shall not contain information about a
13 particular weapon including the make, model, or serial number
14 of the weapon or any ammunition used in that weapon.

15 3. All permits so issued shall be for a definite period
16 as established by the issuing officer, but in no event shall
17 exceed a period of twelve months.

18 Sec. 2. Section 724.11, Code 2009, is amended to read as
19 follows:

20 **724.11 ISSUANCE OF PERMIT TO CARRY WEAPONS.**

21 1. Applications for permits to carry weapons shall be made
22 to the sheriff of the county in which the applicant resides.
23 Applications from persons who are nonresidents of the state, or
24 whose need to go armed arises out of employment by the state,
25 shall be made to the commissioner of public safety. In either
26 case, except as provided in subsection 2, the issuance of the
27 permit shall be by and at the discretion of the sheriff or
28 commissioner, who shall, before issuing the permit, determine
29 that the requirements of sections 724.6 to 724.10 have been
30 satisfied. However, the training program requirements in
31 section 724.9 may be waived for renewal permits.

32 2. Neither the sheriff nor the commissioner shall require
33 an applicant for a nonprofessional permit to carry weapons to
34 provide information identifying a particular weapon in the
35 application including the make, model, or serial number of the

