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SENATE BILL NO. 214

BY SENATOR MIGUEZ

WEAPONS. Allows the concealed carrying of firearms in a restaurant that serves alcohol. (8/1/24)

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. $14:95.5(C)(2)$, relative to the illegal carrying of weapons; to
3	provide an exception for the lawful concealed carry of a handgun in a restaurant that
4	serves alcoholic beverages; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. $14:95.5(C)(2)$ is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
7	§95.5. Possession of firearm on premises of alcoholic beverage outlet
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9	C.(1) * * *
10	(2) The provisions of this Section shall not apply to a person possessing a
11	firearm in accordance with a concealed handgun permit issued pursuant to R.S.
12	40:1379.1 or 1379.3, or pursuant to R.S. 14:95(M) on the premises of an alcoholic
13	beverage outlet which has been issued a Class A-Restaurant permit, as defined in
14	Part II of Chapter 1 or Part II of Chapter 2 of Title 26 of the Louisiana Revised
15	Statutes of 1950.
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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Jonathon Wagner.

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<u>Present law</u> provides an exception, for persons with a valid conceal and carry permit, to the prohibition of possessing a concealed firearm in a restaurant that serves alcoholic beverages.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides an exception, for persons lawfully carrying a concealed firearm, to the prohibition of possessing a concealed firearm in a restaurant that serves alcoholic beverages; and otherwise retains <u>present law</u>.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 14:95.5(C)(2))