PROPOSED AMENDMENT
HB 1071 # 1

DIGEST

Study of the repeal of handgun licensing.

Page 3, after line 39, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 3. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) As used in this
SECTION, "legislative council" refers to the legislative council
created by IC 2-5-1.1-1.

(b) As used in this SECTION, "study committee" means either
of the following:

(1) A statutory committee established under IC 2-5.

(2) An interim study committee.

(c) The legislative council is urged to assign to the appropriate
study committee the task of studying the repeal of the law that
requires a person to obtain a license to carry a handgun in Indiana.

(d) If an appropriate study committee is assigned the topic
described under subsection (c), the study committee may consider,
as part of its study, the following:

(1) The fiscal impact of a repeal of the handgun licensure law.

(2) The issuance and use of reciprocity licenses.

(3) Any persons who should be prohibited from possessing or
carrying a handgun.

(4) The rate in which handguns are used in suicides in
Indiana.

(5) The rate in which handguns are used in criminal acts in
Indiana.

(e) If the topic described in subsection (c) is assigned to an
interim study committee, the interim study committee shall issue
to the legislative council a final report containing the interim study
committee's findings and recommendations, including any
recommended legislation concerning the repeal of the handgun
licensure law, in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6, not later
than November 1, 2017.

(f) This SECTION expires December 31, 2017.

SECTION 4. An emergency is declared for this act.

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1071 as introduced.)