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IMPORTANT NOTICE

FCC RETIRED PEACE OFFICER WAIVER-LEOSA

Pursuant to PA 100-712, if an individual elects to carry a firearm pursuant to the federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004, then the agency employing the retired officer is required to submit an application to the Department along with a fee specified by rule.

Those individuals that meet this requirement will need to possess an active Permanent Employee Registration Card (PERC), an active Firearm Owners Identification Card (FOID), and proof of being in compliance with the federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004 (LEOSA).

The completed FCC RETIRED PEACE OFFICER WAIVER-LEOSA application will then need to be mailed to the Department's Springfield office at 320 W Washington St, 3rd Floor, Springfield, IL 62786 along with a $25 fee in the form of a check or money order payable to IDFPR and a copy of their PERC, FOID, and LEOSA documents.

If the individual is employed by more than one agency under the Illinois Private Detective, Private Alarm, Private Security, Fingerprint Vendor and Locksmith Act of 2004, the form, fee and supporting documents will need to be submitted by each agency where employed.

**Pursuant to a variance signed September 18, 2023, the 8-hour annual refresher firearms training is waived for retired law enforcement officers in compliance with the federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004.

Click on this link to obtain the **FCC RETIRED PEACE OFFICER WAIVER - LEOSA**

Click on this link to obtain the **FCC - LEOSA WAIVER CARD TERMINATION**

If the individual works for an armed proprietary security force with a 120-prefix license number, they do not need to submit proof of a PERC. They do need to comply with Section 1240.400 of the Rules at www.idfpr.illinois.gov regarding prints or waiver of prints.