

POLICE DEPARTMENT

PERMITLESS HANDGUN CARRY PROHIBITIONS

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A person cannot obtain a permit nor be a permitless handgun carrier if they have a prohibition under T.C.A. § 39-17-1307 (b) (1) and (f) (1), 18 U.S.C. 922 (g) or any other state or federal law. The combined prohibitions to firearm possession under these statutes are:

- 1) A conviction for a felony crime,
- 2) A conviction for a felony crime of violence,
- 3) A conviction for an attempted felony crime of violence,
- 4) A conviction for a felony involving the use of a deadly weapon,
- 5) A conviction for a felony drug conviction,
- 6) A conviction for domestic violence,
- 7) Is currently under a court's jurisdiction to prevent harassing, stalking, or threatening an intimate partner,
- 8) Is a fugitive from justice,
- 9) Has renounced their U.S. Citizenship,
- 10) Received a dishonorable discharge from the Armed Services,
- 11) Is unlawfully in the United States,
- 12) Has been adjudicated mentally defective or been committed to a mental institution within the past 7 years,
- 13) Is an unlawful user or addicted to any controlled substance; or,
 - a) is an unlawful user of or addicted to any controlled substance or alcohol and,
 - b) a patient in rehabilitation for substance abuse (alcohol or drugs) by court order; or,
 - c) a voluntary patient in rehabilitation for substance abuse (alcohol or drugs).
- 14) Is receiving social security disability benefits by reason of alcohol or drug dependency or mental disability,
- 15) Has two or more convictions for DUI, in this state or any other state, in the past 10 years and none of those convictions have been in the past 5 years,
- 16) Subject to any other state or federal law that prohibits them from possessing a firearm; or,
- 17) Has a conviction for stalking.

If a person has one of these prohibitions, they may not carry a handgun/firearm in Tennessee nor be granted a carry permit.