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Re: Concealed Weapons License Reciprocity

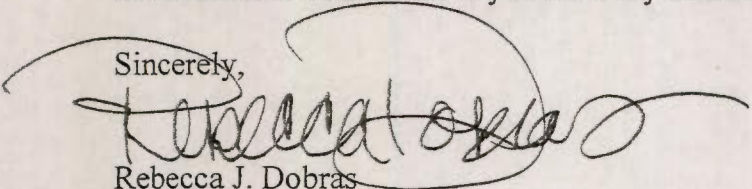
Dear Ms. Strobel,

I am in receipt of your letter concerning weapons permit reciprocity between Georgia and Minnesota. Currently, Georgia and Minnesota do not have weapons permit reciprocity. Georgia will recognize the permit of any state that likewise recognizes Georgia's permits. Recently, Georgia law was amended so that Georgia will now recognize permits of other states even if that state does not recognize Georgia's permits issued to individuals under the age of 21. O.C.G.A. § 16-11-126.

Georgia's weapons carry license statute (O.C.G.A. § 16-11-129) was revised during this year's legislative session, which I have attached for your convenience.

Please let me know if Minnesota intends to recognize Georgia's weapons permits, and please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any additional questions.

Sincerely,



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Assistant Attorney General

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