

Regular Session, 2010

ACT No. 239

HOUSE BILL NO. 235

BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 11:2185 and 2235 and R.S. 33:4712(G), relative to law enforcement officers;
3 to authorize retired deputy sheriffs and retired municipal police officers to purchase
4 their firearms upon retirement; to provide for certain criteria; and to provide for
5 related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 11:2185 and 2235 are hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §2185. Retirement; purchase of firearm

9 Any deputy sheriff who retires with at least twenty years of active service and
10 who is in good standing with the Louisiana Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund shall
11 be entitled to purchase his firearm at fair market value upon retirement, subject to
12 approval by the sheriff.

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14 §2235. Retirement; purchase of firearm

15 Any municipal police officer who retires with at least twenty years of active
16 service and who is in good standing with the Municipal Police Employees'
17 Retirement System shall be entitled to purchase his firearm at fair market value upon
18 retirement, subject to approval by the chief of police.

19 Section 2. R.S. 33:4712(G) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

20 §4712. Sale, exchange, or lease of property by a municipality

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22 G. Notwithstanding any provisions of this Section to the contrary, a
23 municipal police officer who retires with at least twenty years of active service and
24 who is in good standing with the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System

1 shall be entitled to purchase his firearm at fair market value upon retirement, subject
2 to approval by the chief of police and the local governing authority.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____