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To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide a national standard in accordance with which nonresidents of a State may carry concealed firearms in the State.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. THUNE (for himself, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. COBURN, Mr. BURR, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. CORNYN, Mrs. DOLE, Mr. CRAIG, and Mr. LOTT) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. NATIONAL STANDARD FOR THE CARRYING OF**
4 **CERTAIN CONCEALED FIREARMS BY NON-**
5 **RESIDENTS.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 44 of title 18, United
7 States Code, is amended by inserting after section 926C
8 the following:

1 **“§ 926D. National standard for the carrying of certain**
2 **concealed firearms by nonresidents**

3 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any provision
4 of the law of any State or political subdivision thereof,
5 a person who is not prohibited by Federal law from pos-
6 sessing, transporting, shipping, or receiving a firearm and
7 is carrying a valid license or permit which is issued by
8 a State and which permits the person to carry a concealed
9 firearm (other than a machinegun or destructive device)
10 may carry in any State a concealed firearm (other than
11 a machinegun or destructive device) that has been shipped
12 or transported in interstate or foreign commerce, subject
13 to subsection (b).

14 “(b) LIMITATIONS.—

15 “(1) IN GENERAL.—If a State other than the
16 State that issued the license or permit described in
17 subsection (a) issues licenses or permits to carry
18 concealed firearms, a person may carry a concealed
19 firearm in that State under the same restrictions
20 which apply to the carrying of a concealed firearm
21 by a person to whom that State has issued such a
22 license or permit.

23 “(2) OTHER LIMITATIONS.—If a State other
24 than the State that issued the license or permit de-
25 scribed in subsection (a) does not issue licenses or
26 permits to carry concealed firearms, a person may

1 not, in that State, carry a concealed firearm in a po-
2 lice station, in a public detention facility, in a court-
3 house, in a public polling place, at a meeting of a
4 State, county, or municipal governing body, in a
5 school, at a professional or school athletic event not
6 related to firearms, in a portion of an establishment
7 licensed by that State to dispense alcoholic beverages
8 for consumption on the premises, or inside the ster-
9 ile or passenger area of an airport, except to the ex-
10 tent expressly permitted by the law of that State.”.

11 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
12 at the beginning of chapter 44 of title 18, United States
13 Code, is amended by inserting after the item relating to
14 section 926C the following:

“926D. National standard for the carrying of certain concealed firearms by non-
residents.”.

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