

Weapons Carry License Information Sheet

Regarding Chief Justice Melton's Statewide Judicial Emergency Order dated March 14, 2020 (amended April 6, 2020)

Probate courts across the state of Georgia will temporarily suspend acceptance of applications for Weapons Carry Licenses and Renewal Weapons Carry Licenses pursuant to an Order of the Supreme Court of Georgia declaring a Judicial Emergency. That Order may be found at

<https://www.gasupreme.us/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/CJ-Melton-amended-Statewide-Jud-Emergency-order.pdf>

Extension info: <https://www.fox5atlanta.com/news/georgia-chief-justice-extends-judicial-emergency-order-another-month>

If you are due to renew during the Emergency period, your license will not expire. Chief Justice Melton's Order essential pushes "PAUSE" on all deadlines created by law or rule. Therefore, you will still be able to renew after the Emergency ends. Presently, that date is May 13, 2020. If that date is extended, further order will issue.

To give you a concrete example of how this will work, simply add 30 days to whatever your expiration or renewal deadline is. A license expiring April 18, 2020, will expire May 17, 2020. The renewal deadline will extend to June 17, 2020.

We thank you for your patience in this unusual time. If you have further questions, please call the court and we will be glad to assist you.