NICS IMPROVEMENT AMENDMENTS ACT OF 2007

The NICS Improvement Amendments Act of 2007 (NIAA), P.L. 110-180, requires states, as a condition of grant eligibility, to establish procedures to allow persons with disabilities relating to mental health (*i.e.*, prohibiting mental health adjudications or involuntary commitments to a mental institution) to obtain relief from such disabilities for purposes of firearms eligibility.

The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) is responsible for reviewing the eligibility of a state's disability relief program. To apply to ATF for a relief from disabilities, a state must complete and submit ATF Form 3210.12 (Certification of Qualifying State Relief from Disabilities Program) to certify that it has established a qualifying mental health relief from firearms disabilities program that satisfies certain *minimum* criteria identified in section 105 of the NIAA. States will not be eligible for grants authorized by the NIAA unless this certification is submitted and approved. ATF Form 3210.12 may be submitted to ATF's Firearms and Explosives Industry Division at the address listed on the form.

The states listed below have qualified relief of disability programs, under 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(d)(4), (g)(4), that the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) has approved:

1. Alabama

ATF Approved: 2013

2. Alaska

ATF Approved: 2014

3. Arizona

ATF Approved: 2011

4. Delaware

ATF Approved: 2013

5. Florida

ATF Approved: 2010

6. Guam

ATF Approved: 2024

7. Hawaii

ATF Approved: 2014

8. Idaho

ATF Approved: 2010

9. Illinois (through Illinois State Police)

ATF Approved: 2010

10. Indiana

ATF Approved: 2012

Alabama Code § 22-52-10.8(b)

Alabama Attorney General

Alaska Statutes § 47.30.851

Alaska Attorney General

Arizona Revised Statutes § 13-925

Arizona Attorney General

11 Delaware Code § 1448A(j); 15 DE Reg. 1286

Delaware Attorney General

Florida Statutes § 790.065(d)

Florida Attorney General

Promulgation Order No. PRM06-006-19

Miscellaneous Rule 7.1

Guam Attorney General

Hawaii Revised Statutes § 134

Hawaii Attorney General

Idaho Code § 66-356

Idaho Attorney General

Illinois Code § 430 ILCS 65/10(c)

Illinois Attorney General

Indiana Code §§ 33-23-15-1 - 33-23-15-3

Indiana Attorney General

11. **Iowa**

ATF Approved: 2011

12. Kansas

ATF Approved: 2011

13. Kentucky

ATF Approved: 2011

14. Louisiana

ATF Approved: 2013

15. Maryland

ATF Approved: 2013

16. Massachusetts

ATF Approved: 2016

17. Missouri

ATF Approved: 2012

18. Nebraska

ATF Approved: 2012

19. Nevada

ATF Approved: 2009

20. New Jersey

ATF Approved: 2010

21. New Mexico

ATF Approved: 2016

22. New York

ATF Approved: 2009

23. North Carolina

ATF Approved: 2016

24. North Dakota

ATF Approved: 2011

25. Oklahoma

ATF Approved: 2015

Iowa Code § 724.31

Iowa Attorney General

Kansas Statutes § 75-7c27

Kansas Attorney General

Kentucky Revised Statutes § 237.108

Kentucky Attorney General

Louisiana Revised Statutes § 28:57

Louisiana Attorney General

Code of Maryland § 5-133.3

Maryland Attorney General

Mass Gen Laws Chapter 123 § 36C (eff. 1/1/15)

Massachusetts Attorney General

Missouri Revised Statute § 571.092

Missouri Attorney General

Nebraska Revised Statutes § 71-963

Nebraska Attorney General

Nevada Revised Statutes § 179A.163

Nevada Attorney General

New Jersey Statutes §§ 30:4-80.8-30:4-80.10

New Jersey Attorney General

New Mexico Statutes § 34-9-19(D)

New Mexico Attorney General

New York Consolidated Laws § 13.09(g)

New York Attorney General

North Carolina Gen. Stat. § 122C-54.1

North Carolina Attorney General

North Dakota Century Code § 62.1-02-01.2

North Dakota Attorney General

Oklahoma Statutes § 21 O.S. 1290.11

Oklahoma Attorney General

26. **Oregon** Oregon Revised Statutes § 161.387(1);

ATF Approved: 2009 Oregon PSRB Order #2-2011

Oregon Attorney General

27. **Pennsylvania** Penn. Consolidated Statutes, 18 Pa.C.S. § 6105(f)

ATF Approved: 2019 <u>Pennsylvania Attorney General</u>

28. South Carolina Code of Laws § 23-31-1030

ATF Approved: 2014 South Carolina Attorney General

29. **Tennessee** Code Annotated § 16-10-213

ATF Approved: 2015 <u>Tennessee Attorney General</u>

30. **Texas** Texas Code § 574.088

ATF Approved: 2010 Texas Attorney General

31. **Utah** Utah Code § 76-10-532

ATF Approved: 2014 Utah Attorney General

32. **Virginia** Virginia Code §§ 18:2-308.1:1 – 18:2-308.1:3

ATF Approved: 2011 Virginia Attorney General

33. West Virginia Code § 61-7A-5

ATF Approved: 2012 West Virginia Attorney General

34. **Wisconsin** Wisconsin Statutes §§ 51.20, 51.45, 54.10, 55.12

ATF Approved: 2010 Wisconsin Attorney General

Total State Certified and ATF Approved Relief Programs: 33

^{*}Connecticut's 2011 certification is no longer considered qualified or approved by ATF due to changes in the Connecticut Mental Health Law made in 2013.