

The House Committee on Regulated Industries offers the following substitute to HB 17:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 43-38-7 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to  
2 registration by the Georgia Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies, so as to  
3 authorize the board to establish requirements of continuing education; to provide for  
4 conditions, limitations, and waiver; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

**SECTION 1.**

6 Code Section 43-38-7 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to registration by  
7 the Georgia Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies, is amended in subsection (c)  
8 by striking "and" at the end of paragraph (5), by striking the period at the end of paragraph  
9 (6) and inserting in its place "; and" and by adding a new paragraph immediately following  
10 paragraph (6), to be designated paragraph (7) to read as follows:  
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12 "(7) The board shall be authorized to require continuing education as a condition of  
13 renewal for all persons required to be registered with the board under this chapter. The  
14 board shall be authorized to waive the continuing education requirement in cases of  
15 hardship, disability, or illness or under such other circumstances as the board deems  
16 appropriate."

**SECTION 2.**

17 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.  
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