



▶ You or your loved one feel threatened. At what point are you allowed to draw your handgun. 1



▶ The Second Amendment may not protect you when you bring a gun into your home?????.. 2



▶ We specialize in representing our members in weapon related situations related to CHL 2

OhioCCDS *focus*

PROVIDING CIVIL AND CRIMINAL DEFENSE FOR INDIVIDUALS IN OHIO WITH A VALID CHL.

One of the most difficult questions students of concealed carry ask is "When in a confrontation am I legally allowed to draw my firearm?"

Fear of Drawing—Part 2

One thing is for sure. If you draw too soon, you may be charged with brandishing. If you improperly draw in the middle of a confrontation, you may be charged with menacing. If you draw too late, you or your loved ones may be dead. When in a confrontation can you draw your handgun? So, you are in your home and you hear a strange noise. One of those noises that makes the hair stand up on the back of your neck. As you walk into the next room to investigate, you are confronted by an 18 year old female stranger. You demand that she leaves and she refuses. You take a step toward her but she is defiant and starts walking toward you. You tell her that you are going to call the police and she re-

sponds by shouting and throwing things at you and daring you to call the police. In this case the 70 year old individual then drew his handgun and shot the suspect. No criminal charges were filed. The man did it properly. Even inside your own home you are not allowed to use lethal force unless and until you are reasonably and honestly in fear of death or great bodily harm and the only way to escape the danger is to use lethal force. The authorities concluded that a 70 year old man could reasonably be in fear of great bodily harm from an 18 year old female intruder who shouted and threw things at him. The result might have been different if the man was healthy and age 30 or if he had drawn and fired sooner.



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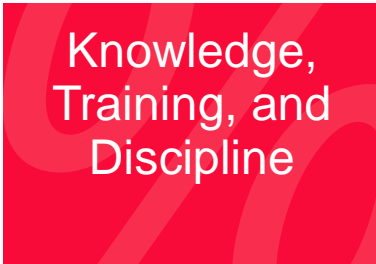
Our General Counsel offers civil and criminal defense for one low retainer of just \$180 per year. Discounts are available for multi-year and family coverage. Members enjoy unlimited legal representation in Ohio for any matter related to their Concealed Handgun License. It is easy to be caught in the legal quagmire of concealed carry in Ohio. If you are not currently a member, you are subjecting yourself (and perhaps your family) to criminal liability or financial ruin. You need financial peace of mind knowing that the attorney representing you specializes in concealed carry defense. You need OhioCCDS before something happens. **JOIN NOW!**

We are the BEST BACKUP you can carry during one of the most stressful events of your life.



Getting the most from OhioCCDS

In addition to legal representation for members, OhioCCDS offers legal presentations on CHL law anywhere in the State of Ohio.



With more than 20 years experience as an attorney in Ohio, our lead counsel has the proven ability to represent you and your Second Amendment rights. In addition, he is a certified NRA instructor. Since he also holds an Ohio and Utah CHL, he understands the pressure of carrying concealed in Ohio. OhioCCDS is the only legal services plan based in Ohio, by Ohio Counsel, for Ohio CHL individuals.

When you make the decision to bring a gun into your home, you have to think about not just yourself, but everyone who lives in the home with you. This point was made very clear in the recent case of United States v. Huet (3d Cir.). Ms. Huet was legally allowed to own and possess a firearm. Her boyfriend and housemate was subject to a federal disability. Ms. Huet did bring a firearm into the home. Federal authorities suspected her boyfriend of illegal activity and conducted a raid at the home. They found the firearm during the raid. Ms. Huet claimed that

she alone possessed the firearm and the only evidence against her was the fact that she possessed the firearm in the home while living with a felon. Federal authorities disagreed and criminally charged her with aiding and abetting her boyfriend in the possession of a firearm. The Federal Appeals Court recognized that federal dispossession statutes, when combined with

This one really scares me. If you live with someone who has a gun disability and you bring a gun into the home, are you criminally liable?

laws regarding accomplice liability, may be misused to subject law abiding cohabitants to liability simply for possessing a firearm in a home. However, the Court concluded that the Prosecutor should be given the opportunity to prove their case against Ms. Huet. The Second Amendment did not protect her. This is a Federal Appeals Court decision in the Western District of Pennsylvania.

TESTIMONIALS

“My name is Travis N. and I first met Bob from Ohio Concealed Carry Defense Services back in May 2009. My application for a concealed handgun license had just been denied and I asked Bob to represent me. When negotiations for my permit failed, Bob sued the County Sheriff and won! I would have never won the right to carry concealed without OhioCCDS. I encourage everyone to join OhioCCDS for the best defense you can get at a price you can afford.” **Travis N., December 2009**

“I first called Bob on January 28. I had just been charged with a violation of the concealed carry laws. Although I was not a member of OhioCCDS, Bob agreed to represent me. He worked aggressively with the local prosecutor and the police department and by February 11, all charges were dismissed. My handgun was returned by February 18. The best decision I made was to hire Bob to represent me.” **David B., February 2010**

NOTE: A special “thank you” to those who have already signed up for membership in OhioCCDS. We welcome you to our growing family of protected CHL individuals in Ohio. For those of you still considering whether you should join, remember, if you sign up now for just \$180.00 you will receive complete legal protection in both civil and criminal matters for the next year. If you wait until something happens, it could cost you and your family \$50,000.00 or more to defend yourself. **YOU NEED OHIOCCDS BEFORE SOMETHING BAD HAPPENS!**

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