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Attachments: ClemencyApplication.pdf

The DOJ interprets the restoration of civil rights/right to possess firearm as requiring an action of the State where the felony occurred (there may or may not be a counter-argument but this is the starting point).

<https://www.justice.gov/jm/criminal-resource-manual-1435-post-conviction-restoration-civil-rights>

Florida has all kinds of levels of clemency including a specific Order by Gov restoring right to possess a firearm, <https://www.fcor.state.fl.us/clemencyOverview.shtml>. Another words you don't have to seek a full pardon to seek a form of clemency that would allow you to vote, possess a firearm, etc. see Attached.

Whether the restoration of civil rights/ right to carry a firearm that occurs in jurisdiction where you principally resides would be an option to seeking a restoration of rights in Fla where the felony occurred would require add'l research. Let me know. Will look at SORNA issue over next few days

18 SUSC 921(a)(20):

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any [State](#) offense classified by the laws of the [State](#) as a misdemeanor and punishable by a term of imprisonment of two years or less.

What constitutes a conviction of such a crime shall be determined in accordance with the law of the jurisdiction in which the proceedings were held. **Any conviction which has been expunged, or set aside or for which a person has been pardoned or has had civil rights restored shall not be considered a conviction for purposes of this chapter, unless such pardon, expungement, or restoration of civil rights expressly provides that the person may not ship, transport, possess, or receive firearms.**

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