HOUSE BILL No. 4445

March 5, 1997, Introduced by Reps. Nye, Curtis, Profit, Dalman, Green, Kukuk and Walberg and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "Michigan penal code,"

by amending sections 131, 157s, 157w, 174, 177, 178, 181, and 218 (MCL 750.131, 750.157s, 750.157w, 750.174, 750.177, 750.178, 750.181, and 750.218), section 131 as amended by 1984 PA 277 and section 157s as amended and section 157w as added by 1987 PA 276.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 131. (1) A person shall not , with intent to
- 2 defraud, make, draw, utter, or deliver any check, draft, or
- 3 order for the payment of money, to apply on account or otherwise,
- 4 upon any bank or other depository —, WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD AND
- 5 knowing at the time of the making, drawing, uttering, or
- 6 delivering —, that the maker or drawer does not have sufficient
- 7 funds in or credit with the bank or other depository -, for the

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- 1 payment of TO PAY the check, draft, or order in full —
- 2 upon its presentation.
- 3 (2) A person shall not -, with the intent to defraud, make,
- 4 draw, utter, or deliver any check, draft, or order for the pay-
- 5 ment of money, to apply on account or otherwise, upon any bank or
- 6 other depository -, unless WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD IF the person
- 7 has DOES NOT HAVE sufficient funds for the payment of the
- 8 check, draft, or order when presentation for payment is made to
- 9 the drawee. -, except THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY if the lack
- 10 of funds is due to garnishment, attachment, levy, or other lawful
- 11 cause -, and that fact was not known to the person who WHEN
- 12 THE PERSON made, drew, uttered, or delivered the check, draft, or
- 13 order. at the time of the making, drawing, uttering, or
- 14 delivering.
- 15 (3) A person who violates this section is guilty of a crime
- 16 as follows:
- 17 (a) If the amount payable in the check, draft, or order is
- **18** \$50.00 or less THAN \$100.00, as follows:
- 19 (i) For a first offense, a misdemeanor punishable by
- 20 imprisonment for not more than 93 days or a fine of not more
- **21** than $\frac{$100.00}{}$ \$500.00, or both.
- 22 (ii) For a second offense which is charged as a second
- 23 offense, a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment for not more
- 24 than 6 months, or a fine of not more than \$250.00, or both.
- 25 (ii) (iii) For a third AN offense which is charged as a
- 26 third offense FOLLOWING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVICTIONS UNDER THIS
- 27 SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY CORRESPONDING TO THIS

- 1 SECTION, a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not
- **2** more than 1 year $\frac{}{}$, or a fine of not more than $\frac{$500.00}{}$
- **3** \$1,000.00, or both.
- 4 (iv) For a fourth or subsequent offense which is charged as
- 5 a fourth or subsequent offense, a felony, punishable by imprison-
- 6 ment for not more than 13 months, or a fine of not more than
- 7 \$500.00, or both.
- 8 (b) If the amount payable in the check, draft, or order is
- 9 more than \$50.00 \$100.00 OR MORE but less than -\$200.00
- 10 \$500.00, as follows:
- 11 (i) For a first or second offense, a misdemeanor —, punish-
- 12 able by imprisonment for not more than 1 year —, or a fine of
- 13 not more than $\frac{\$500.00}{\$1,000.00}$ \$1,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE AMOUNT PAYABLE,
- 14 WHICHEVER IS GREATER, or both IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
- 15 (ii) For a third or subsequent AN offense which is
- 16 charged as a third or subsequent offense FOLLOWING 2 OR MORE
- 17 PRIOR CONVICTIONS UNDER THIS SECTION, a felony punishable by
- 18 imprisonment for not more than $\frac{13 \text{ months}}{}$ 2 YEARS or a fine of
- 19 not more than $\frac{$500.00}{$2,000.00}$, or both. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS
- 20 SUBPARAGRAPH, HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CON-
- 21 VICTION FOR A VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBDIVISION
- **22** (A).
- 23 (c) If the amount payable in the check, draft, or order is
- 24 \pm \$500.00 or more, a felony \pm punishable by imprison-
- 25 ment for not more than 13 months, 2 YEARS or by a fine of not
- **26** more than $\frac{$500.00}{}$ \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE AMOUNT PAYABLE,
- 27 WHICHEVER IS GREATER, or both IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.

- 1 (4) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 2 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVIC-
- 3 TIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE COMPLAINT
- 4 AND INFORMATION A STATEMENT LISTING THE PRIOR CONVICTION OR
- 5 CONVICTIONS. THE EXISTENCE OF THE DEFENDANT'S PRIOR CONVICTION
- 6 OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, WITHOUT A JURY,
- 7 AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT PURPOSE BEFORE
- 8 SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION MAY BE ESTAB-
- 9 LISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE, INCLUDING, BUT
- 10 NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 11 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 12 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 13 SENTENCING.
- 14 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 15 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- 16 Sec. 157s. (1) A person who, for the purpose of obtaining
- 17 goods, property, services, or anything of value, knowingly and
- 18 with intent to defraud uses 1 or more financial transaction
- 19 devices -which THAT have been revoked or canceled by the issuer
- 20 of the device or devices, as distinguished from expired, and HAS
- 21 RECEIVED notice of the revocation or cancellation has been
- 22 received by the person, is guilty of a misdemeanor if CRIME AS
- 23 FOLLOWS:
- 24 (A) IF the aggregate value of the goods, property, serv-
- 25 ices, or anything of value is LESS THAN \$100.00, or less, and is
- 26 guilty of a felony, punishable by a fine of not more than

- 1 \$1,000.00, or imprisonment for not more than 1 year, or both, if
- 2 AS FOLLOWS:
- 3 (i) FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRIS-
- 4 ONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 93 DAYS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN
- **5** \$500.00, OR BOTH.
- 6 (ii) FOR AN OFFENSE FOLLOWING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVICTIONS
- 7 UNDER THIS SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY CORRESPOND-
- 8 ING TO THIS SECTION, A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR
- 9 NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000.00, OR
- **10** BOTH.
- 11 (B) IF the aggregate value of the goods, property, serv-
- 12 ices, or anything of value is -more than \$100.00 OR MORE BUT
- 13 LESS THAN \$500.00, AS FOLLOWS:
- 14 (i) FOR A FIRST OR SECOND OFFENSE, A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE
- 15 BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR OR A FINE OF NOT MORE
- 16 THAN \$1,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE AGGREGATE VALUE OF THE GOODS, PROP-
- 17 ERTY, SERVICES, OR ANYTHING OF VALUE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR
- 18 BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
- 19 (ii) FOR AN OFFENSE FOLLOWING 2 OR MORE PRIOR CONVICTIONS
- 20 UNDER THIS SECTION, A FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT
- 21 MORE THAN 2 YEARS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00, OR BOTH.
- 22 FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH, HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION
- 23 DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLA-
- 24 TION OF SUBDIVISION (A).
- 25 (C) IF THE VALUE OF THE GOODS, PROPERTY, SERVICES, OR ANY-
- 26 THING OF VALUE IS \$500.00 OR MORE, A FELONY PUNISHABLE BY
- 27 IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 2 YEARS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN

- 1 \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE AGGREGATE VALUE OF THE GOODS, PROPERTY,
- 2 SERVICES, OR ANYTHING OF VALUE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH
- 3 IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
- 4 (2) THE VALUES OF GOODS, PROPERTY, SERVICES, OR THINGS OF
- 5 VALUE OBTAINED IN SEPARATE INCIDENTS PURSUANT TO A SCHEME OR
- 6 COURSE OF CONDUCT WITHIN ANY 12-MONTH PERIOD MAY BE AGGREGATED TO
- 7 DETERMINE THE TOTAL VALUE OF GOODS, PROPERTY, SERVICES, OR THINGS
- 8 OF VALUE OBTAINED.
- 9 (3) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 10 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVIC-
- 11 TIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE COMPLAINT
- 12 AND INFORMATION A STATEMENT LISTING THE PRIOR CONVICTION OR
- 13 CONVICTIONS. THE EXISTENCE OF THE DEFENDANT'S PRIOR CONVICTION
- 14 OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, WITHOUT A JURY,
- 15 AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT PURPOSE BEFORE
- 16 SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION MAY BE ESTAB-
- 17 LISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE, INCLUDING, BUT
- 18 NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 19 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 20 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 21 SENTENCING.
- 22 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 23 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- Sec. 157w. (1) A person who knowingly and with intent
- 25 to defraud —, uses a financial transaction device to withdraw or
- 26 transfer funds from a deposit account in violation of the
- 27 contractual limitations imposed on the amount or frequency of

- 1 withdrawals or transfers —, or in an amount in excess of
- 2 EXCEEDING the funds then on deposit in the account is guilty
- 3 of a CRIME AS FOLLOWS:
- 4 (A) A misdemeanor PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE
- 5 THAN 93 DAYS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00 OR 3 TIMES THE
- 6 AMOUNT OF FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER,
- 7 OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE, if the amount of the funds with-
- 8 drawn or transferred is \$500.00 or less, and is guilty of a
- 9 felony LESS THAN \$200.00.
- 10 (B) A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE
- 11 THAN 1 YEAR OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE
- 12 AMOUNT OF FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER,
- 13 OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE, if ANY OF the FOLLOWING APPLY:
- 14 (i) THE amount of the funds withdrawn or transferred is
- 15 more than \$500.00 \$200.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$1,000.00.
- 16 (ii) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBDIVISION (A) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 17 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 18 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY
- 19 CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION.
- 20 (C) A FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 5
- 21 YEARS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$10,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE AMOUNT
- 22 OF FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH
- 23 IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE, IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY:
- 24 (i) THE AMOUNT OF THE FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED IS
- 25 \$1,000.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$20,000.00.
- 26 (ii) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBDIVISION (B)(i) AND HAS 1 OR
- 27 MORE PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN

- 1 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH,
- 2 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 3 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBDIVISION (A) OR (B)(ii).
- **4** (D) A FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 10
- 5 YEARS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$15,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE AMOUNT
- 6 OF FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH
- 7 IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE, IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY:
- 8 (i) THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED IS
- **9** \$20,000.00 OR MORE.
- 10 (ii) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBDIVISION (C)(i) AND HAS 2 OR
- 11 MORE PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 12 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH,
- 13 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 14 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBDIVISION (A) OR (B)(ii).
- 15 (2) THE AMOUNTS OF FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED IN SEPA-
- 16 RATE INCIDENTS PURSUANT TO A SCHEME OR COURSE OF CONDUCT WITHIN
- 17 ANY 12-MONTH PERIOD MAY BE AGGREGATED TO DETERMINE THE TOTAL
- 18 AMOUNT OF FUNDS WITHDRAWN OR TRANSFERRED.
- 19 (3) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 20 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVIC-
- 21 TIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE COMPLAINT
- 22 AND INFORMATION A STATEMENT LISTING THE PRIOR CONVICTION OR
- 23 CONVICTIONS. THE EXISTENCE OF THE DEFENDANT'S PRIOR CONVICTION
- 24 OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, WITHOUT A JURY,
- 25 AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT PURPOSE BEFORE
- 26 SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION MAY BE

- 1 ESTABLISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE, INCLUDING,
- 2 BUT NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 3 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 4 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 5 SENTENCING.
- 6 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 7 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- 8 Sec. 174. (1) Any A person who as the agent, servant, or
- 9 employee of another PERSON, GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY WITHIN THIS
- 10 STATE, OR OTHER LEGAL ENTITY or WHO as the trustee, bailee, or
- 11 custodian of the property of another PERSON, or of any partner-
- 12 ship, voluntary association, public or private corporation, or of
- 13 this state, or of any county, city, village, township or school
- 14 district GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY within this state, shall OR OTHER
- 15 LEGAL ENTITY fraudulently dispose DISPOSES of or convert
- 16 CONVERTS to his OR HER own use, or take or secrete TAKES OR
- 17 SECRETES with THE intent to convert to his OR HER own use without
- 18 the consent of his OR HER principal, any money or other personal
- 19 property of his OR HER principal which shall have THAT HAS come
- 20 to his THAT PERSON'S possession or shall be THAT IS under his
- 21 OR HER charge or control by virtue of his OR HER being such AN
- 22 agent, servant, employee, trustee, bailee, or custodian, as
- 23 aforesaid, shall be IS guilty of the crime of embezzlement. —,
- 24 and upon conviction thereof, if
- 25 (2) IF the money or personal property —so— embezzled —shall
- 26 be of the HAS A value of \$100.00 or under LESS THAN \$200.00,
- 27 shall be THE PERSON IS guilty of a misdemeanor ; if the money

- 1 or personal property so embezzled be of the value of more than
- 2 \$100.00, such PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 93
- 3 DAYS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF
- 4 THE MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH
- 5 IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
- 6 (3) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 7 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR
- 8 OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 9 MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH
- 10 IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 11 (A) THE MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED HAS A VALUE OF
- 12 \$200.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$1,000.00.
- 13 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (2) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 14 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 15 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY
- 16 CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION.
- 17 (4) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE person shall be IS
- 18 quilty of a felony -, punishable by imprisonment in the state
- **19** prison FOR not more than -10 5 years or -by a fine OF not
- 20 <u>exceeding \$5,000.00.</u> MORE THAN \$10,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE
- 21 OF THE MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH
- 22 IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 23 (A) THE MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED HAS A VALUE OF
- 24 \$1,000.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$20,000.00.
- 25 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (3)(A) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 26 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 27 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,

- 1 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 2 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (2) OR (3)(B).
- 3 (5) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 4 FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 10 YEARS OR A
- 5 FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$15,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 6 MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH
- 7 IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 8 (A) THE MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED HAS A VALUE OF
- 9 \$20,000.00 OR MORE.
- 10 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (4)(A) AND HAS 2 OR MORE
- 11 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 12 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 13 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 14 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (2) OR (3)(B).
- 15 (6) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, THE
- 16 VALUES OF MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED IN SEPARATE INCI-
- 17 DENTS PURSUANT TO A SCHEME OR COURSE OF CONDUCT WITHIN ANY
- 18 12-MONTH PERIOD MAY BE AGGREGATED TO DETERMINE THE TOTAL VALUE OF
- 19 MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED. IF THE SCHEME OR COURSE OF
- 20 CONDUCT IS DIRECTED AGAINST ONLY 1 PERSON, GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY
- 21 WITHIN THIS STATE, OR OTHER LEGAL ENTITY, NO TIME LIMIT APPLIES
- 22 TO AGGREGATION UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- 23 (7) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 24 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVIC-
- 25 TIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE COMPLAINT
- 26 AND INFORMATION A STATEMENT LISTING THE PRIOR CONVICTION OR
- 27 CONVICTIONS. THE EXISTENCE OF THE DEFENDANT'S PRIOR CONVICTION

- 1 OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, WITHOUT A JURY,
- 2 AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT PURPOSE BEFORE
- 3 SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION MAY BE ESTAB-
- 4 LISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE, INCLUDING, BUT
- 5 NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 6 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 7 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 8 SENTENCING.
- 9 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 10 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- 11 (8) In any A prosecution under this section, the failure,
- 12 neglect, or refusal of -such THE agent, servant, employee,
- 13 trustee, bailee, or custodian to pay, deliver, or refund to his
- 14 OR HER principal such THE money or property entrusted to his OR
- 15 HER care upon demand shall be IS prima facie proof of intent to
- 16 embezzle.
- 17 Sec. 177. (1) Any A person who shall NOT embezzle —
- 18 OR fraudulently remove, conceal, or dispose of any personal prop-
- 19 erty held by him OR HER subject to any A chattel mortgage or
- 20 written instrument intended to operate as a chattel mortgage, or
- 21 any A lease or written instrument intended to operate as a
- 22 lease, or any A contract to purchase not yet fulfilled with
- 23 intent to injure or defraud the mortgagee, lessor, or vendor
- 24 under such THE contract or any assignee thereof, shall, if the
- 25 property so embezzled, removed, concealed or disposed of, is of
- 26 the value of more than \$100.00, be OF THE MORTGAGEE, LESSOR, OR
- 27 VENDOR.

- 1 (2) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS guilty of a
- 2 felony -, punishable by imprisonment in the state prison FOR
- 3 not more than $\frac{2}{10}$ 10 years $\frac{1}{10}$ or $\frac{1}{100}$ a fine of not more than
- 4 \$1,000.00. \$15,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE PROPERTY
- 5 EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER IS
- 6 GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 7 (A) THE PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED
- 8 OF HAS A VALUE OF \$20,000.00 OR MORE.
- 9 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (3)(A) AND HAS 2 OR MORE
- 10 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 11 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 12 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 13 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (4)(B) OR (5).
- 14 (3) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 15 FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 5 YEARS OR A
- 16 FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$10,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 17 PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER
- 18 IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 19 (A) THE PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED
- 20 OF HAS A VALUE OF \$1,000.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$20,000.00.
- 21 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (4)(A) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 22 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 23 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 24 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 25 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (4)(B) OR (5).
- 26 (4) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 27 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR

- 1 OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 2 PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER
- 3 IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 4 (A) THE PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED
- 5 OF HAS A VALUE OF \$200.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$1,000.00.
- 6 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (5) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 7 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 8 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY
- 9 CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION.
- 10 (5) If the property —so— EMBEZZLED, removed, concealed, or
- 11 disposed of is of the HAS A value of \$100.00 or less THAN
- 12 \$200.00, the person so offending shall be IS guilty of a misde-
- 13 meanor PUNISHABLE BY A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN 93 DAYS OR A FINE OF
- 14 NOT MORE THAN \$500.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE PROPERTY EMBEZ-
- 15 ZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER IS GREATER,
- 16 OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
- 17 (6) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, THE
- 18 VALUES OF PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF
- 19 IN SEPARATE INCIDENTS PURSUANT TO A SCHEME OR COURSE OF CONDUCT
- 20 WITHIN ANY 12-MONTH PERIOD MAY BE AGGREGATED TO DETERMINE THE
- 21 TOTAL VALUE OF PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DIS-
- 22 POSED OF. IF THE SCHEME OR COURSE OF CONDUCT IS DIRECTED AGAINST
- 23 ONLY 1 MORTGAGEE, LESSOR, OR VENDOR, NO TIME LIMIT APPLIES TO
- 24 AGGREGATION UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- 25 (7) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 26 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR
- 27 CONVICTIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE

- 1 COMPLAINT AND INFORMATION A STATEMENT LISTING THE PRIOR
- 2 CONVICTION OR CONVICTIONS. THE EXISTENCE OF THE DEFENDANT'S
- 3 PRIOR CONVICTION OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT,
- 4 WITHOUT A JURY, AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT
- 5 PURPOSE BEFORE SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION
- 6 MAY BE ESTABLISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE,
- 7 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 8 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 9 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 10 SENTENCING.
- 11 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 12 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- 13 Sec. 178. (1) Any A person who shall NOT EMBEZZLE OR
- 14 fraudulently embezzle, remove, conceal, or dispose of any per-
- 15 sonal property -which THAT has been mortgaged, leased, or pur-
- 16 chased under a contract to purchase not yet fulfilled by another
- 17 PERSON knowing such THE personal property to have HAS been
- 18 so mortgaged, leased, or purchased -, AND with THE intent to
- 19 injure or defraud the mortgagee, lessor, or vendor under such
- 20 THE contract, or any assignee thereof, shall, if the property so
- 21 embezzled, removed, concealed or disposed of, is of the value of
- 22 more than \$100.00, be OF THE MORTGAGEE, LESSOR, OR VENDOR.
- 23 (2) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS guilty of a
- 24 felony -, punishable by imprisonment in the state prison FOR
- 25 not more than $\frac{2}{10}$ 10 years or $\frac{2}{10}$ a fine of not more than
- **26** \$1,000.00. \$15,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE PROPERTY

- 1 EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER IS
- 2 GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 3 (A) THE PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED
- 4 OF HAS A VALUE OF \$20,000.00 OR MORE.
- 5 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (3)(A) AND HAS 2 OR MORE
- 6 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 7 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 8 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 9 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (4)(B) OR (5).
- 10 (3) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 11 FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 5 YEARS OR A
- 12 FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$10,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 13 PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER
- 14 IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 15 (A) THE PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED
- 16 OF HAS A VALUE OF \$1,000.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$20,000.00.
- 17 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (4)(A) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 18 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 19 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 20 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 21 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (4)(B) OR (5).
- 22 (4) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 23 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR
- 24 OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 25 PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER
- 26 IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:

- 1 (A) THE PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED
- 2 OF HAS A VALUE OF \$200.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$1,000.00.
- 3 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (5) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 4 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 5 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY
- 6 CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION.
- 7 (5) If the property —so— EMBEZZLED, removed, concealed, or
- 8 disposed of is of the HAS A value of \$100.00 or less THAN
- 9 \$200.00, the person -so offending shall be IS guilty of a misde-
- 10 meanor PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 93 DAYS OR A
- 11 FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE PROP-
- 12 ERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF, WHICHEVER IS
- 13 GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
- 14 (6) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, THE
- 15 VALUES OF PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DISPOSED OF
- 16 IN SEPARATE INCIDENTS PURSUANT TO A SCHEME OR COURSE OF CONDUCT
- 17 WITHIN ANY 12-MONTH PERIOD MAY BE AGGREGATED TO DETERMINE THE
- 18 TOTAL VALUE OF PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, REMOVED, CONCEALED, OR DIS-
- 19 POSED OF. IF THE SCHEME OR COURSE OF CONDUCT IS DIRECTED AGAINST
- 20 ONLY 1 MORTGAGEE, LESSOR, OR VENDOR, NO TIME LIMIT APPLIES TO
- 21 AGGREGATION UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- 22 (7) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 23 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVIC-
- 24 TIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE COMPLAINT
- 25 AND INFORMATION A STATEMENT LISTING THE PRIOR CONVICTION OR
- 26 CONVICTIONS. THE EXISTENCE OF THE DEFENDANT'S PRIOR CONVICTION
- 27 OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, WITHOUT A JURY,

- 1 AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT PURPOSE BEFORE
- 2 SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION MAY BE ESTAB-
- 3 LISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE, INCLUDING, BUT
- 4 NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 5 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 6 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 7 SENTENCING.
- 8 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 9 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- 10 Sec. 181. (1) -Any AN agent, servant, employee, trustee,
- 11 bailee, custodian, attorney-at-law, collector, or other person
- 12 -, who -, in any manner receives or collects IN ANY MANNER
- 13 money or -any other personal property -which THAT is partly the
- 14 property of another PERSON, GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY WITHIN THIS
- 15 STATE, OR OTHER LEGAL ENTITY and partly the property of such
- 16 THE agent, servant, employee, trustee, bailee, custodian,
- 17 attorney-at-law, collector, or other person -, and who shall NOT
- 18 embezzle, -or fraudulently dispose of, -or convert to his OR
- 19 HER own use, or take or secrete with intent to embezzle or con-
- 20 vert to his OR HER own use -, such THE money or personal prop-
- 21 erty —, without the consent of the part owner of such THE
- 22 money or personal property. -, shall, if
- (2) IF the money or personal property so embezzled, is of
- 24 the DISPOSED OF, CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR SECRETED HAS A value of
- 25 \$100.00 or under, be LESS THAN \$200.00, THE PERSON IS guilty of
- 26 a misdemeanor ; if the money or personal property so embezzled
- 27 is of the value of more than \$100.00, he shall be PUNISHABLE BY

- 1 IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 93 DAYS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN
- 2 \$500.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED,
- 3 DISPOSED OF, CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR SECRETED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER,
- 4 OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
- 5 (3) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 6 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR
- 7 OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 8 MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, DISPOSED OF, CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR
- 9 SECRETED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 10 (A) THE MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, DISPOSED OF,
- 11 CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR SECRETED HAS A VALUE OF \$200.00 OR MORE BUT
- 12 LESS THAN \$1,000.00.
- 13 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (2) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 14 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 15 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY
- 16 CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION.
- 17 (4) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 18 FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 5 YEARS OR A
- 19 FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$10,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE
- 20 MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, DISPOSED OF, CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR
- 21 SECRETED, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- (A) THE MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, DISPOSED OF,
- 23 CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR SECRETED HAS A VALUE OF \$1,000.00 OR MORE
- 24 BUT LESS THAN \$20,000.00.
- 25 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (3)(A) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 26 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 27 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,

- 1 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 2 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (2) OR (3)(B).
- 3 (5) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS guilty of a
- 4 felony -, punishable by imprisonment in the state prison FOR
- 5 not more than 10 years or by a fine of not more than
- 6 \$5,000.00. \$15,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE MONEY OR
- 7 PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, DISPOSED OF, CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR SECRETED,
- 8 WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 9 (A) THE MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, DISPOSED OF,
- 10 CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR SECRETED HAS A VALUE OF \$20,000.00 OR MORE.
- 11 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (4)(A) AND HAS 2 OR MORE
- 12 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 13 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 14 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 15 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (2) OR (3)(B).
- 16 (6) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, THE
- 17 VALUES OF MONEY OR PROPERTY EMBEZZLED, DISPOSED OF, CONVERTED,
- 18 TAKEN, OR SECRETED IN SEPARATE INCIDENTS PURSUANT TO A SCHEME OR
- 19 COURSE OF CONDUCT WITHIN ANY 12-MONTH PERIOD MAY BE AGGREGATED TO
- 20 DETERMINE THE TOTAL VALUE OF MONEY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY EMBEZ-
- 21 ZLED, DISPOSED OF, CONVERTED, TAKEN, OR SECRETED. IF THE SCHEME
- 22 OR COURSE OF CONDUCT IS DIRECTED AGAINST ONLY 1 PERSON, GOVERN-
- 23 MENTAL ENTITY WITHIN THIS STATE, OR OTHER LEGAL ENTITY, NO TIME
- 24 LIMIT APPLIES TO AGGREGATION UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.
- **25** (7) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 26 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR
- 27 CONVICTIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE

- 1 COMPLAINT AND INFORMATION A STATEMENT LISTING THE PRIOR
- 2 CONVICTION OR CONVICTIONS. THE EXISTENCE OF THE DEFENDANT'S
- 3 PRIOR CONVICTION OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT,
- 4 WITHOUT A JURY, AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT
- 5 PURPOSE BEFORE SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION
- 6 MAY BE ESTABLISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE,
- 7 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 8 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 9 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 10 SENTENCING.
- 11 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 12 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- 13 (8) In any A prosecution for such crime it shall be no
- 14 UNDER THIS SECTION, IT IS NOT A defense that such THE agent,
- 15 servant, employee, trustee, bailee, custodian, attorney-at-law,
- 16 collector, or other person was entitled to a compensation out of
- 17 such THE money or personal property as compensation for col-
- 18 lecting or receiving the same IT for and on behalf of the ITS
- 19 owner, thereof, but it shall be no IS NOT embezzlement on
- 20 the part of such BY THE agent, servant, employee, trustee,
- 21 bailee, custodian, attorney-at-law, collector, or other person to
- 22 retain his OR HER reasonable collection fee on the collection or
- 23 any other valid interest he may have OR SHE HAS in such THE
- 24 money or personal property.
- 25 (9) In any A prosecution under this section, the failure,
- **26** neglect, or refusal of such THE agent, servant, employee,
- 27 trustee, bailee, custodian, attorney-at-law, collector, or other

- 1 person to pay, deliver, or refund to the proper person such THE
- 2 money or personal property entrusted to his OR HER care, upon
- 3 demand, -shall be IS prima facie proof of intent to embezzle.
- 4 Sec. 218. (1) Any A person who, with intent to defraud or
- 5 cheat -, shall designedly, AND by color of any A false token
- 6 or writing, -or by -any A false or bogus check or other writ-
- 7 ten, printed, or engraved instrument, by -spurious COUNTERFEIT
- 8 coin or metal in the similitude of THAT IS INTENDED TO SIMULATE
- 9 A coin, or by any other false pretense -, cause any DOES 1 OR
- 10 MORE OF THE FOLLOWING IS GUILTY OF A CRIME PUNISHABLE AS PROVIDED
- 11 IN THIS SECTION:
- 12 (A) CAUSES A person to grant, convey, assign, demise, lease,
- 13 or mortgage any land or AN interest in land. , or obtain the
- 14 (B) OBTAINS A PERSON'S signature of any person to any ON A
- 15 FORGED written instrument. -, the making whereof would be punish-
- 16 able as forgery, or obtain
- 17 (C) OBTAINS from any money or personal prop-
- 18 erty or the use of any instrument, facility, or article, or
- 19 other valuable thing or service. —, or by
- 20 (D) BY means of any false weights or measures obtain A
- 21 FALSE WEIGHT OR MEASURE OBTAINS a larger amount or quantity of
- 22 property than was bargained for. -, or by
- 23 (E) BY means of any false weights or measures sell or
- 24 dispose A FALSE WEIGHT OR MEASURE SELLS OR DISPOSES of a less
- 25 SMALLER amount or quantity of property than was bargained for.
- 26 <u>, if such</u>

- 1 (2) IF THE land, -or interest in land, money, personal
- 2 property, use of such THE instrument, facility, or article,
- 3 OR valuable thing, service, larger amount obtained, or -less-
- 4 SMALLER amount SOLD OR disposed of -, shall be of the HAS A
- 5 value of \$\frac{\$100.00 \text{ or}}{100.00 \text{ or}} \text{ less THAN \$200.00, }\frac{\$100.00 \text{ or}}{100.00 \text{ or}} \text{ THE PERSON IS
- 6 guilty of a misdemeanor -; and if such PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISON-
- 7 MENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 93 DAYS OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00
- 8 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT
- 9 AND A FINE.
- 10 (3) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 11 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR
- 12 OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE, WHICH-
- 13 EVER IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 14 (A) THE LAND, INTEREST IN LAND, MONEY, PERSONAL PROPERTY,
- 15 USE OF THE INSTRUMENT, FACILITY, ARTICLE, OR VALUABLE THING,
- 16 SERVICE, LARGER AMOUNT OBTAINED, OR SMALLER AMOUNT SOLD OR DIS-
- 17 POSED OF HAS A VALUE OF \$200.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$1,000.00.
- 18 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (2) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 19 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 20 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIALLY
- 21 CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION.
- 22 (4) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 23 FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 5 YEARS OR A
- 24 FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$10,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE, WHICHEVER
- 25 IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 26 (A) THE LAND, INTEREST IN LAND, MONEY, PERSONAL PROPERTY,
- 27 USE OF THE INSTRUMENT, FACILITY, ARTICLE, OR VALUABLE THING,

- 1 SERVICE, LARGER AMOUNT OBTAINED, OR SMALLER AMOUNT SOLD OR
- 2 DISPOSED OF HAS A VALUE OF \$1,000.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN
- **3** \$20,000.00.
- 4 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (3)(A) AND HAS 1 OR MORE
- 5 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 6 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 7 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 8 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (2) OR (3)(B).
- 9 (5) IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY, THE PERSON IS GUILTY OF A
- 10 FELONY PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 10 YEARS OR A
- 11 FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$15,000.00 OR 3 TIMES THE VALUE, WHICHEVER
- 12 IS GREATER, OR BOTH IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE:
- 13 (A) THE land, interest in land, money, personal property,
- 14 use of -such THE instrument, facility, -or article, OR valuable
- 15 thing, service, larger amount obtained, or less SMALLER amount
- 16 SOLD OR disposed of shall be of the HAS A value of \$20,000.00
- 17 OR more. than \$100.00, such person shall be guilty of a felony,
- 18 punishable by imprisonment in the state prison not more than 10
- 19 years or by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00.
- 20 (B) THE PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION (4)(A) AND HAS 2 OR MORE
- 21 PRIOR CONVICTIONS FOR COMMITTING OR ATTEMPTING TO COMMIT AN
- 22 OFFENSE UNDER THIS SECTION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 23 HOWEVER, A PRIOR CONVICTION DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION FOR A
- 24 VIOLATION OR ATTEMPTED VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (2) OR (3)(B).
- 25 (6) THE VALUES OF LAND, INTEREST IN LAND, MONEY, PERSONAL
- 26 PROPERTY, USE OF THE INSTRUMENT, FACILITY, ARTICLE, OR VALUABLE
- 27 THING, SERVICE, LARGER AMOUNT OBTAINED, OR SMALLER AMOUNT SOLD OR

- 1 DISPOSED OF IN SEPARATE INCIDENTS PURSUANT TO A SCHEME OR COURSE
- 2 OF CONDUCT WITHIN ANY 12-MONTH PERIOD MAY BE AGGREGATED TO DETER-
- 3 MINE THE TOTAL VALUE INVOLVED IN THE VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION.
- 4 (7) IF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY INTENDS TO SEEK AN ENHANCED
- 5 SENTENCE BASED UPON THE DEFENDANT HAVING 1 OR MORE PRIOR CONVIC-
- 6 TIONS, THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SHALL INCLUDE ON THE COMPLAINT
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- 9 OR CONVICTIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, WITHOUT A JURY,
- 10 AT SENTENCING OR AT A SEPARATE HEARING FOR THAT PURPOSE BEFORE
- 11 SENTENCING. THE EXISTENCE OF A PRIOR CONVICTION MAY BE ESTAB-
- 12 LISHED BY ANY EVIDENCE RELEVANT FOR THAT PURPOSE, INCLUDING, BUT
- 13 NOT LIMITED TO, 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 14 (A) A COPY OF THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION.
- 15 (B) A TRANSCRIPT OF A PRIOR TRIAL, PLEA-TAKING, OR
- 16 SENTENCING.
- 17 (C) INFORMATION CONTAINED IN A PRESENTENCE REPORT.
- 18 (D) THE DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.
- 19 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect
- 20 January 1, 1998.
- 21 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take
- 22 effect unless all of the following bills of the 89th Legislature
- 23 are enacted into law:
- 24 (a) Senate Bill No. _____ or House Bill No. _____
- 25 (request no. 01762'97).
- 26 (b) Senate Bill No. _____ or House Bill No. _____
- 27 (request no. 01764'97).

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