

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4434**

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled
"The Michigan penal code,"
by amending section 227 (MCL 750.227), as amended by 1986 PA 8.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 227. (1) A person shall not carry a dagger, dirk,
2 stiletto, a double-edged nonfolding stabbing instrument of any
3 length, or any other dangerous weapon, except a hunting knife
4 adapted and carried as such, concealed on or about his or her
5 person, or whether concealed or otherwise in any vehicle operated
6 or occupied by the person, except in his or her dwelling house,
7 place of business, or on other land possessed by the person.

8 (2) A person shall not carry a pistol concealed on or about
9 his or her person, or, whether concealed or otherwise, in a vehicle



1 operated or occupied by the person, except in his or her dwelling
2 house, place of business, or on other land possessed by the person,
3 without a license to carry the pistol as provided by law and if
4 licensed, shall not carry the pistol in a place or manner
5 inconsistent with any restrictions upon such license.

6 (3) ~~A-Except as otherwise provided in subsection (4) or (6), a~~
7 person who violates this section is guilty of a felony ~~punishable~~
8 by imprisonment for not more than 5 years ~~or by a fine of not~~
9 more than \$2,500.00.

10 (4) Subject to subsection (5), a person who violates
11 subsection (2) is subject to a civil fine of \$330.00 if all of the
12 following apply:

13 (a) The person's concealed pistol license issued under section
14 5b of 1927 PA 372, MCL 28.425b, expired not more than 1 year before
15 the date of the violation.

16 (b) The person is eligible to obtain a concealed pistol
17 license under section 5b of 1927 PA 372, MCL 28.425b.

18 (c) The violation is the person's first violation that occurs
19 during the 1-year period described in subdivision (a).

20 (5) If, within 60 business days after a violation of
21 subsection (2), a person receives a renewal license under section 5/
22 of 1927 PA 372, 28.425/, that person is not subject to a civil fine
23 under subsection (4).

24 (6) A person who violates subsection (2) is guilty of a
25 misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90 days or
26 a fine of \$500.00, or both, if all of the following apply:

27 (a) The person's concealed pistol license issued under section
28 5b of 1927 PA 372, MCL 28.425b, expired not more than 1 year before
29 the date of the violation.



1 (b) The person is eligible to obtain a concealed pistol
2 license under section 5b of 1927 PA 372, MCL 28.425b.

3 (c) The violation is the person's second or subsequent
4 violation that occurs during the 1-year period described in
5 subdivision (a).

