SENATE BILL No. 823

October 19, 1999, Introduced by Senator JAYE and referred to the Committee on Hunting, Fishing and Forestry.

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

by amending sections 227, 227c, and 227d (MCL 750.227, 750.227c, and 750.227d), section 227 as amended by 1986 PA 8 and sections 227c and 227d as added by 1981 PA 103.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 227. (1) A person shall not carry a dagger, dirk, OR
- 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- A HUNTING KNIFE, concealed on or
- 5 about his or her person —, or, whether concealed or otherwise,
- 6 in -any A vehicle operated or occupied by the person, except in
- 7 his or her dwelling house OR place of business or on other
- 8 land possessed by the person.

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- 1 (2) A person shall not carry a pistol concealed on or about
- 2 his or her person —, or, whether concealed or otherwise, in a
- 3 vehicle operated or occupied by the person, except in his or her
- 4 dwelling house -- OR place of business -- or on other land pos-
- 5 sessed by the person, without a license to carry the pistol as
- 6 provided by law and, if licensed, shall not carry the pistol in a
- 7 place or manner inconsistent with any restrictions upon -such-
- 8 THE license.
- 9 (3) THIS SECTION DOES NOT PROHIBIT A PERSON FROM CARRYING A
- 10 PISTOL IN A VEHICLE IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 227D.
- 11 (4) $\overline{(3)}$ A person who violates this section is guilty of a
- 12 felony —, punishable by imprisonment for not more than 5 years
- 13 \rightarrow or by a fine of not more than \$2,500.00, OR BOTH.
- 14 Sec. 227c. (1) Except as otherwise permitted by law, a
- 15 person shall not transport or possess A LOADED FIREARM in or upon
- 16 a -sail boat or a motor vehicle, aircraft, SAILBOAT OR motor-
- 17 boat, or any other vehicle propelled by mechanical means. -, a
- 18 firearm, other than a pistol, which is loaded.
- 19 (2) A person who violates this section is guilty of a misde-
- 20 meanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 2 years
- 21 $\overline{}$ or a fine of not more than \$2,500.00, or both.
- 22 (3) This section does not apply to a person who violates
- 23 section 10(1)(g) of chapter II of Act No. 286 of the Public Acts
- 24 of 1929, as amended, being section 312.10 of the Michigan
- 25 Compiled Laws.
- 26 Sec. 227d. (1) Except as otherwise permitted by law, a
- 27 person shall not transport or possess A FIREARM in or upon a

- 1 motor vehicle or any self-propelled vehicle designed for land
- 2 travel a firearm, other than a pistol, unless the firearm is
- 3 unloaded and is 1 or more of the following:
- 4 (a) Taken down.
- 5 (b) Enclosed in a case.
- 6 (c) Carried in the trunk of the vehicle.
- 7 (d) Inaccessible from the interior of the vehicle.
- 8 (2) A person who violates this section is guilty of a misde-
- 9 meanor —, punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90 days
- 10 $\overline{}$ or a fine of not more than \$100.00, or both.
- 11 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take
- 12 effect unless Senate Bill No. _____ or House Bill No. ____
- 13 (request no. 04208'99 a) of the 90th Legislature is enacted into
- **14** law.

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