

HOUSE BILL No. 4795

May 9, 1995, Introduced by Reps. Jaye, Green, Horton, Whyman, Kaza, Jersevic, Kukuk, Cropsey, Walberg, Gustafson, Weeks and Hill and referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Civil Rights.

A bill to amend sections 2, 4, 6, 6a, and 8 of Act No. 372 of the Public Acts of 1927, entitled as amended

"An act to regulate and license the selling, purchasing, possessing, and carrying of certain firearms and gas ejecting devices; to prohibit the buying, selling, or carrying of certain firearms and gas ejecting devices without a license; to provide for the forfeiture of firearms possessed in violation of this act; to provide immunity from civil liability under certain circumstances; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act,"

sections 2 and 6 as amended by Act No. 338 of the Public Acts of 1994, section 4 as added by Act No. 219 of the Public Acts of 1992, and section 6a as amended by Act No. 34 of the Public Acts of 1991, being sections 28.422, 28.424, 28.426, 28.426a, and 28.428 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. Sections 2, 4, 6, 6a, and 8 of Act No. 372 of
- 2 the Public Acts of 1927, sections 2 and 6 as amended by Act

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- 1 No. 338 of the Public Acts of 1994, section 4 as added by Act
- 2 No. 219 of the Public Acts of 1992, and section 6a as amended by
- 3 Act No. 34 of the Public Acts of 1991, being sections 28.422,
- 4 28.424, 28.426, 28.426a, and 28.428 of the Michigan Compiled
- 5 Laws, are amended to read as follows:
- 6 Sec. 2. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2), a person
- 7 shall not purchase, carry, or transport a pistol in this state
- 8 without first having obtained a license for the pistol as pre-
- 9 scribed in this section.
- 10 (2) A person who brings a pistol into this state who is on
- 11 leave from active duty with the armed forces of the United States
- 12 or who has been discharged from active duty with the armed forces
- 13 of the United States shall obtain a license for the pistol within
- 14 30 days after his or her arrival in this state.
- 15 (3) The commissioner or chief of police of a city, township,
- 16 or village police department that issues licenses to purchase,
- 17 carry, or transport pistols, or his or her duly authorized
- 18 deputy, or the sheriff or his or her duly authorized deputy, in
- 19 the parts of a county not included within a city, township, or
- 20 village having an organized police department, in discharging the
- 21 duty to issue licenses shall with due speed and diligence issue
- 22 licenses to purchase, carry, or transport pistols to qualified
- 23 applicants residing within the city, village, township, or
- 24 county, as applicable unless he or she has probable cause to
- 25 believe that the applicant would be a threat to himself or her-
- 26 self or to other individuals, or would commit an offense with the
- 27 pistol that would violate a law of this or another state or of

- 1 the United States. An applicant is qualified if all of the
- 2 following circumstances exist:
- 3 (a) The FOR APPLICATIONS FILED ON OR AFTER APRIL 1, 1996,
- 4 THE person is not subject to an order or disposition for which he
- 5 or she has received notice and an opportunity for a hearing, and
- 6 which was entered into the law enforcement information network
- 7 pursuant to any of the following:
- 8 (i) Section 464a(1) of the mental health code, Act No. 258
- 9 of the Public Acts of 1974, being section 330.1464a of the
- 10 Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 11 (ii) Section 444a(1) of the revised probate code, Act
- 12 No. 642 of the Public Acts of 1978, being section 700.444a of the
- 13 Michigan Compiled Laws.
- (iii) Section $\frac{2950(9)}{2950(16)}$ 2950(16) of the revised judicature
- 15 act of 1961, Act No. 236 of the Public Acts of 1961, being sec-
- 16 tion 600.2950 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 17 (iv) Section $\frac{-2950a(7)}{}$ 2950A(13) of Act No. 236 of the
- 18 Public Acts of 1961, being section 600.2950a of the Michigan
- 19 Compiled Laws.
- 20 (v) Section 14(7) of chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes of
- 21 1846, being section 552.14 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 22 (v) (vi) Section 6b(5) of chapter V of the code of crimi-
- 23 nal procedure, Act No. 175 of the Public Acts of 1927, being sec-
- 24 tion 765.6b of the Michigan Compiled Laws, if the order has a
- 25 condition imposed pursuant to section 6b(3) of chapter V of Act
- 26 No. 175 of the Public Acts of 1927.

- 1 (vi) -(vii) Section -16b(1) 16B(2) of chapter IX of Act
- 2 No. 175 of the Public Acts of 1927, being section 769.16b of the
- 3 Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 4 (b) The person is 18 years of age or older or, if the seller
- 5 is licensed pursuant to section 923 of title 18 of the United
- 6 States Code, 18 U.S.C. 923, is 21 years of age or older.
- 7 (c) The person is a citizen of the United States and is a
- 8 legal resident of this state.
- 9 (d) A felony charge against the person is not pending at the
- 10 time of application.
- (e) The person is not prohibited from possessing, using,
- 12 transporting, selling, purchasing, carrying, shipping, receiving,
- 13 or distributing a firearm under section 224f of the Michigan
- 14 penal code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931, being section
- 15 750.224f of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- (f) The person has not been adjudged insane in this state or
- 17 elsewhere unless he or she has been adjudged restored to sanity
- 18 by court order.
- 19 (q) The person is not under an order of involuntary commit-
- 20 ment in an inpatient or outpatient setting due to mental
- 21 illness.
- (h) The person has not been adjudged legally incapacitated
- 23 in this state or elsewhere. This subdivision does not apply to a
- 24 person who has had his or her legal capacity restored by order of
- 25 the court.
- (i) The person correctly answers 70% or more of the
- 27 questions on a basic pistol safety review questionnaire approved

- 1 by the basic pistol safety review board and provided to the
- 2 individual free of charge by the licensing authority. If the
- 3 person fails to correctly answer 70% or more of the questions on
- 4 the basic pistol safety review questionnaire, the licensing
- 5 authority shall inform the person of the questions he or she
- 6 answered incorrectly and allow the person to attempt to complete
- 7 another basic pistol safety review questionnaire. The person
- 8 shall not be allowed to attempt to complete more than 2 basic
- 9 pistol safety review questionnaires on any single day. The
- 10 licensing authority shall allow the person to attempt to complete
- 11 the questionnaire during normal business hours on the day the
- 12 person applies for his or her license.
- (4) Applications for licenses under this section shall be
- 14 signed by the applicant under oath upon forms provided by the
- 15 director of the department of state police. Licenses to pur-
- 16 chase, carry, or transport pistols shall be executed in tripli-
- 17 cate upon forms provided by the director of the department of
- 18 state police and shall be signed by the licensing authority.
- 19 Three copies of the license shall be delivered to the applicant
- 20 by the licensing authority.
- 21 (5) Upon the sale of the pistol, the seller shall fill out
- 22 the license forms describing the pistol sold, together with the
- 23 date of sale, and sign his or her name in ink indicating that the
- 24 pistol was sold to the licensee. The licensee shall also sign
- 25 his or her name in ink indicating the purchase of the pistol from
- 26 the seller. The seller may retain a copy of the license as a
- 27 record of the sale of the pistol. The licensee shall return

- 1 2 copies of the license to the licensing authority within 10 days
 2 following the purchase of the pistol.
- 3 (6) One copy of the license shall be retained by the licens-
- 4 ing authority as an official record for a period of 6 years. The
- 5 other copy of the license shall be forwarded by the licensing
- 6 authority within 48 hours to the director of the department of
- 7 state police. A license is void unless used within -10 30 days
- 8 after the date of its issue.
- 9 (7) This section does not apply to the purchase of pistols
- 10 from wholesalers by dealers regularly engaged in the business of
- 11 selling pistols at retail, or to the sale, barter, or exchange of
- 12 pistols kept solely as relics, curios, or antiques not made for
- 13 modern ammunition or permanently deactivated. This section does
- 14 not prevent the transfer of ownership of pistols that are inher-
- 15 ited if the license to purchase is approved by the commissioner
- 16 or chief of police, sheriff, or their authorized deputies, and
- 17 signed by the personal representative of the estate or by the
- 18 next of kin having authority to dispose of the pistol.
- (8) The licensing authority shall provide a basic pistol
- 20 safety brochure to each applicant for a license under this sec-
- 21 tion before the applicant answers the basic pistol safety review
- 22 questionnaire. A basic pistol safety brochure shall contain, but
- 23 is not limited to providing, information on all of the following
- 24 subjects:
- 25 (a) Rules for safe handling and use of pistols.
- 26 (b) Safe storage of pistols.

- (c) Nomenclature and description of various types of
 pistols.
- 3 (d) The responsibilities of owning a pistol.
- 4 (9) The basic pistol safety brochure shall be supplied in
- 5 addition to the safety pamphlet required by section 9b.
- 6 (10) The basic pistol safety brochure required in subsection
- 7 (8) shall be produced by a national nonprofit membership organi-
- 8 zation that provides voluntary pistol safety programs that
- 9 include training individuals in the safe handling and use of
- 10 pistols.
- (11) A person who forges any matter on an application for a
- 12 license under this section is guilty of a felony, punishable by
- 13 imprisonment for not more than 4 years or a fine of not more than
- 14 \$2,000.00, or both.
- (12) A licensing authority shall implement this section
- 16 during all of the licensing authority's normal business hours and
- 17 shall set hours for implementation that allow an applicant to use
- 18 the license within the time period set forth in subsection (6).
- 19 Sec. 4. (1) A person who is prohibited from possessing,
- 20 using, transporting, selling, purchasing, carrying, shipping,
- 21 receiving, or distributing a firearm under section 224f(2) of the
- 22 Michigan penal code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931,
- 23 being section 750.224f of the Michigan Compiled Laws, may apply
- 24 to the concealed weapons licensing board in the county in which
- 25 he or she resides SECRETARY OF STATE for restoration of those
- 26 rights.

- 1 (2) Not more than 1 application may be submitted under
- 2 subsection (1) in any calendar year. The concealed weapons
- 3 licensing board SECRETARY OF STATE may charge a fee of not more
- 4 than \$10.00 for the actual and necessary expenses of each
- 5 application.
- 6 (3) The -concealed weapons licensing board SECRETARY OF
- 7 STATE shall, by written order, of the board, restore the rights
- 8 of a person to possess, use, transport, sell, purchase, carry,
- 9 ship, receive, or distribute a firearm if the board SECRETARY
- 10 OF STATE determines, by clear and convincing evidence, that all
- 11 of the following circumstances exist:
- (a) The person properly submitted an application for resto-
- 13 ration of those rights as provided under this section.
- (b) The expiration of 5 years after all of the following
- 15 circumstances:
- 16 (i) The person has paid all fines imposed for the violation
- 17 resulting in the prohibition.
- 18 (ii) The person has served all terms of imprisonment imposed
- 19 for the violation resulting in the prohibition.
- 20 (iii) The person has successfully completed all conditions
- 21 of probation or parole imposed for the violation resulting in the
- 22 prohibition.
- (c) The person's record and reputation are such that the
- 24 person is not likely to act in a manner dangerous to the safety
- 25 of other persons.
- 26 (4) If the concealed weapons licensing board SECRETARY OF
- 27 STATE pursuant to subsection (3) refuses to restore a right under

- 1 this section, the person may petition the circuit court for
- 2 review of that decision.
- 3 Sec. 6. (1) The prosecuting attorney, the sheriff, and the
- 4 director of the department of state police, or their respective
- 5 authorized deputies, shall constitute boards exclusively
- 6 SECRETARY OF STATE IS authorized to issue a license to an appli-
- 7 cant residing within their respective counties, THIS STATE to
- 8 carry a pistol concealed on the person and to carry a pistol,
- 9 whether concealed or otherwise, in a vehicle operated or occupied
- 10 by the applicant. The county clerk of each county shall be
- 11 clerk of the licensing board, which board shall be known as the
- 12 concealed weapon licensing board. A license to carry a pistol
- 13 concealed on the person or to carry a pistol, whether concealed
- 14 or otherwise, in a vehicle operated or occupied by the person
- 15 applying for the license, shall not be granted to a person unless
- 16 the person is 18 years of age or older, is a citizen of the
- 17 United States, and has resided in this state 6 months or more. A
- 18 license shall not be issued unless it appears that the applicant
- 19 has good reason to fear injury to his or her person or property,
- 20 or has other proper reasons, and is a suitable person to be
- 21 licensed. A license shall not be issued under this section
- 22 unless all of the following circumstances exist:
- 23 (a) The person is not the subject of an order or disposition
- 24 entered into the law enforcement information network pursuant to
- 25 any of the following:

- 1 (i) Section 464a(1) of the mental health code, Act No. 258
- 2 of the Public Acts of 1974, being section 330.1464a of the
- 3 Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 4 (ii) Section 444a(1) of the revised probate code, Act
- 5 No. 642 of the Public Acts of 1978, being section 700.444a of the
- 6 Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 7 (iii) Section 2950(9) of the revised judicature act of 1961,
- 8 Act No. 236 of the Public Acts of 1961, being section 600.2950 of
- 9 the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 10 (iv) Section 2950a(7) of Act No. 236 of the Public Acts of
- 11 1961, being section 600.2950a of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 12 (v) Section 14(7) of chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes of
- 13 1846, being section 552.14 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 14 (vi) Section 6b(5) of chapter V of the code of criminal pro
- 15 cedure, Act No. 175 of the Public Acts of 1927, being section
- 16 765.6b of the Michigan Compiled Laws, if the order has a condi-
- 17 tion imposed pursuant to section 6b(3) of chapter V of Act
- 18 No. 175 of the Public Acts of 1927.
- 19 (vii) Section 16b(1) of chapter IX of Act No. 175 of the
- 20 Public Acts of 1927, being section 769.16b of the Michigan
- 21 Compiled Laws.
- 22 (b) The person has not been convicted of a felony or con-
- 23 fined for a felony conviction in this state or elsewhere during
- 24 the 8 year period immediately preceding the date of the applica
- 25 tion, and a felony charge against the person is not pending at
- 26 the time he or she applies for a license described in this
- 27 section.

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(c) The person has not been adjudged insane unless the
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2 person has been adjudged restored to sanity by court order.
       (d) The person is not under an order of involuntary commit
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4 ment in an inpatient or outpatient setting due to mental
5 illness.
       (e) The person has not been adjudged legally incapacitated
7 in this state or elsewhere. This subdivision does not apply to a
8 person who has had his or her legal capacity restored by court
9 order.
       (2) If an applicant resides in a city, village, or township
11 having an organized department of police, a license shall not be
12 issued unless the application is first approved in writing by the
13 supervisor, commissioner or chief of police, or marshal of that
14 city, village, or township. If an application is not approved in
15 the manner prescribed by this subsection, the applicant has 10
16 days to appeal, in writing, to the concealed weapon licensing
17 board in the county in which the applicant resides. Upon receipt
18 of a written appeal, that concealed weapon licensing board shall
19 schedule a hearing to be held at its next scheduled meeting,
20 which shall not be less than 15 days after the receipt of the
21 fingerprint comparison report. The concealed weapon licensing
22 board shall determine at the hearing whether the applicant is
23 qualified to carry a concealed weapon pursuant to this section.
24 Notice of the hearing shall be mailed to the applicant and the
25 organized department of police not less than 10 days before the
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26 scheduled hearing. The applicant shall deposit the sum of \$10.00

27 with the county clerk at the time the appeal is made. If, after

1 appeal, a license is not issued, the deposit shall be credited to 2 the general fund of the county. If a license is issued, the 3 deposit shall be processed as the license fee required under sub-4 section (6). (3) If an applicant does not reside in a city, village, or 6 township that has an organized department of police, a license 7 shall not be issued unless the application is first submitted for 8 approval or objection to the supervisor of the township in which 9 the applicant resides. The supervisor shall indicate in writing 10 on the application whether he or she objects to the license being 11 issued. If action is not taken by a supervisor within 14 days 12 after the application is submitted to the supervisor, the con-13 cealed weapon licensing board shall consider the application as 14 if a statement of no objection had been included. If the super 15 visor objects to the application in writing, the applicant may 16 appeal the objection to the concealed weapon licensing board of 17 the county in which the applicant resides within 10 days after 18 the objection. Upon receipt of a written appeal, that concealed 19 weapon licensing board shall schedule a hearing to be held at its 20 next scheduled meeting, which shall not be less than 15 days 21 after the receipt of the fingerprint comparison report. The con-22 cealed weapon licensing board shall determine at the hearing 23 whether the applicant is qualified to carry a concealed weapon 24 pursuant to this section. Notice of the hearing shall be mailed 25 to the applicant and the supervisor of the township not less than 26 10 days before the scheduled hearing. The applicant shall 27 deposit the sum of \$10.00 with the county clerk at the time the

- 1 appeal is made. If, after appeal, a license is not issued, the
- 2 deposit shall be credited to the general fund of the county. If
- 3 a license is issued, the deposit shall be processed as the
- 4 license fee required under subsection (6).
- 5 (2) (4) An applicant FOR A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED
- 6 WEAPON shall have 2 sets of fingerprints taken by the sheriff, or
- 7 the sheriff's authorized representative, of the county in which
- 8 the applicant resides, if the applicant does not reside in a
- 9 city, village, or township having an organized department of
- 10 police, or by the commissioner or chief of police, or marshal, or
- 11 an authorized representative of the commissioner or chief of
- 12 police or marshal, if the applicant resides within a city, vil-
- 13 lage, or township having an organized department of police. The
- 14 first set of fingerprints shall be taken on forms furnished by
- 15 the department of state police, and the second set on forms fur-
- 16 nished by the federal bureau of investigation. The person taking
- 17 the prints shall forward the first set of fingerprints to the
- 18 department of state police and the second set to the federal
- 19 bureau of investigation or other agency designated by the federal
- 20 bureau of investigation. The director of the bureau of identifi-
- 21 cation of the department of state police shall compare the fin-
- 22 gerprints with those already on file in the bureau. A license
- 23 shall not be issued unless the report is received by the -clerk
- 24 of the board SECRETARY OF STATE from the department of state
- 25 police and the federal bureau of investigation that the compari-
- 26 sons do not show that the applicant was convicted of or confined
- 27 for a felony during the 8 year period OR AN ASSAULTIVE

- 1 MISDEMEANOR. The -board SECRETARY OF STATE may grant a
- 2 temporary permit in case of emergency pending the results of the
- 3 comparisons. The temporary permit shall be issued for a period
- 4 of not more than 30 days and shall expire automatically at the
- 5 end of the period for which it was issued. Upon receipt of the
- 6 comparison report from the federal bureau of investigation, the
- 7 bureau of identification of the department of state police shall
- 8 forward a report of both comparisons to the officer taking the
- 9 prints and also to the county clerk of the county in which the
- 10 applicant resides, who as clerk of the board SECRETARY OF
- 11 STATE. THE SECRETARY OF STATE shall keep a record of the
- 12 report. and shall report to the board. The fingerprints
- 13 received under this section shall be filed in the bureau of iden-
- 14 tification of the department of state police in the noncriminal
- 15 section of the files.
- 16 (3) -(5) The application for a license shall state each
- 17 reason for the necessity or desirability of carrying a pistol
- 18 concealed on the person or carrying a pistol, whether or not con-
- 19 cealed, in a vehicle occupied by the person applying for the
- 20 license. A license issued under this section shall limit the
- 21 carrying of a pistol to the reason or reasons satisfactory to the
- 22 -board SECRETARY OF STATE, and each restriction shall appear
- 23 conspicuously on the face of the license. The license shall be
- 24 an authorization to carry a pistol in compliance with this sec-
- 25 tion only to the extent contained in the face of the license and
- 26 the license shall be revoked by the -board- SECRETARY OF STATE if
- 27 the pistol is carried contrary to the authorization.

(4) (6) The prosecuting attorney shall be the chairperson 2 of the board, which shall convene at least once in each calendar 3 month and at other times as the board is called to convene by the 4 chairperson. Each license shall be issued only upon written 5 application signed by the applicant under oath and upon a form 6 provided by the director of the department of state police 7 SECRETARY OF STATE. Each license shall be issued only with the 8 approval of a majority of the members of the board THE SECRE-9 TARY OF STATE and shall be executed in triplicate upon forms pro-10 vided by the director of the department of state police. 11 license shall be signed in the name of the -concealed weapon 12 licensing board by the county clerk SECRETARY OF STATE with the 13 seal of the circuit court STATE affixed to the license. 14 -county clerk SECRETARY OF STATE shall first collect a licensing 15 fee of \$10.00 from the applicant for each license delivered to 16 the applicant. One copy of the license shall be delivered to the 17 applicant, the duplicate shall be retained by the -county-clerk 18 SECRETARY OF STATE as -a permanent AN official record for -a 19 period of 6 years, and the triplicate of the license shall be 20 forwarded within 48 hours to the director of the department of 21 state police who shall file and index each license received and 22 retain it as a permanent AN official record for a period of 6 23 years. A license is valid for a definite period of not more than 24 3 years, and that period shall be stated in the license. 25 renewal of the license shall not be granted except upon the 26 filing of a new application. A license shall bear the imprint of 27 the right thumb of the licensee, or, if a right thumb imprint is

- 1 impossible to obtain, the license shall bear the imprint of the
- 2 left thumb or some other finger of the licensee. The licensee
- 3 shall carry the license upon his or her person when carrying a
- 4 pistol concealed upon his or her person, or when carrying the
- 5 pistol, whether or not concealed, in a vehicle occupied by the
- 6 licensee. The licensee shall display the license upon the
- 7 request of a peace officer. On the first day of each month the
- 8 county clerk SECRETARY OF STATE shall remit to the state trea-
- 9 surer \$2.00 for each license issued during the preceding month.
- 10 On the first day of each month the -county-clerk SECRETARY OF
- 11 STATE shall pay into the general fund of the -county- STATE the
- 12 remainder of each license fee for each license issued during the
- 13 preceding month.
- 14 (5) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ISSUE A LICENSE TO CARRY A
- 15 PISTOL CONCEALED ON THE PERSON OR TO CARRY A PISTOL, WHETHER CON-
- 16 CEALED OR OTHERWISE, OR IN A VEHICLE OPERATED OR OCCUPIED BY THE
- 17 PERSON APPLYING FOR THE LICENSE, IF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING CIRCUM-
- 18 STANCES EXIST:
- 19 (A) FOR APPLICATIONS FILED ON OR AFTER APRIL 1, 1996, THE
- 20 APPLICANT IS NOT THE SUBJECT OF AN ORDER OR DISPOSITION ENTERED
- 21 INTO THE LAW ENFORCEMENT INFORMATION NETWORK PURSUANT TO ANY OF
- 22 THE FOLLOWING:
- 23 (i) SECTION 464A(1) OF THE MENTAL HEALTH CODE, ACT NO. 258
- 24 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1974, BEING SECTION 330.1464A OF THE
- 25 MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.

- (ii) SECTION 444A(1) OF THE REVISED PROBATE CODE, ACT
- 2 NO. 642 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1978, BEING SECTION 700.444A OF THE
- 3 MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.
- 4 (iii) SECTION 2950(16) OF THE REVISED JUDICATURE ACT OF
- 5 1961, ACT NO. 236 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1961, BEING SECTION
- 6 600.2950 OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.
- 7 (iv) SECTION 2950A(13) OF ACT NO. 236 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF
- 8 1961, BEING SECTION 600.2950A OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.
- 9 (v) SECTION 6B(5) OF CHAPTER V OF THE CODE OF CRIMINAL PRO-
- 10 CEDURE, ACT NO. 175 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1927, BEING SECTION
- 11 765.6B OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, IF THE ORDER HAS A CONDI-
- 12 TION IMPOSED PURSUANT TO SECTION 6B(3) OF CHAPTER V OF ACT
- 13 NO. 175 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1927.
- (vi) SECTION 16B(2) OF CHAPTER IX OF ACT NO. 175 OF THE
- 15 PUBLIC ACTS OF 1927, BEING SECTION 769.16B OF THE MICHIGAN
- 16 COMPILED LAWS.
- 17 (B) THE APPLICANT HAS NOT BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY OR AN
- 18 ASSAULTIVE MISDEMEANOR, AND A FELONY OR ASSAULTIVE MISDEMEANOR
- 19 CHARGE AGAINST THE APPLICANT IS NOT PENDING AT THE TIME HE OR SHE
- 20 APPLIES FOR A LICENSE DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION.
- 21 (C) THE APPLICANT IS NOT PROHIBITED FROM POSSESSING, USING,
- 22 TRANSPORTING, SELLING, PURCHASING, CARRYING, SHIPPING, RECEIVING,
- 23 OR DISTRIBUTING A FIREARM UNDER SECTION 224F OF THE MICHIGAN
- 24 PENAL CODE, ACT NO. 328 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1931, BEING
- 25 SECTION 750.224F OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.
- 26 (D) THE APPLICANT HAS NOT BEEN ADJUDGED INSANE UNLESS THE
- 27 APPLICANT HAS BEEN ADJUDGED RESTORED TO SANITY BY COURT ORDER.

- 1 (E) THE APPLICANT IS NOT UNDER AN ORDER OF INVOLUNTARY
- 2 COMMITMENT IN AN INPATIENT OR OUTPATIENT SETTING DUE TO MENTAL
- 3 ILLNESS.
- 4 (F) THE APPLICANT HAS NOT BEEN ADJUDGED LEGALLY INCAPACI-
- 5 TATED IN THIS STATE OR ELSEWHERE. THIS SUBDIVISION DOES NOT
- 6 APPLY TO AN APPLICANT WHO HAS HAD HIS OR HER LEGAL CAPACITY
- 7 RESTORED BY COURT ORDER.
- 8 (G) THE APPLICANT HAS NO PHYSICAL INFIRMITY THAT WOULD PRE-
- 9 VENT THE APPLICANT FROM SAFELY HANDLING A PISTOL.
- 10 (H) THE APPLICANT INTENDS TO CARRY THE PISTOL FOR A LAWFUL
- 11 PURPOSE.
- 12 (I) THE APPLICANT CAN DOCUMENT KNOWLEDGE OR TRAINING IN THE
- 13 SAFE USE AND HANDLING OF A PISTOL BY 1 OF THE FOLLOWING:
- (i) SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A HUNTER SAFETY EDUCATION
- 15 COURSE OR CLASS PRESENTED BY THIS STATE OR BY ANOTHER STATE.
- 16 (ii) SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A FIREARMS SAFETY OR TRAINING
- 17 COURSE OR CLASS PRESENTED BY THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.
- 18 (iii) SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A FIREARMS SAFETY TRAINING
- 19 COURSE OR CLASS AVAILABLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AND PRESENTED BY
- 20 A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, JUNIOR COLLEGE, COLLEGE, OR PUBLIC OR
- 21 PRIVATE INSTITUTION OR ORGANIZATION OR FIREARMS TRAINING SCHOOL,
- 22 AND USING INSTRUCTORS CERTIFIED BY THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION
- 23 OR BY THIS STATE.
- 24 (iv) SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT FIREARMS
- 25 SAFETY TRAINING COURSE OR CLASS OFFERED FOR SECURITY GUARDS,
- 26 INVESTIGATORS, SPECIAL DEPUTIES, OR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.

- 1 (ν) SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A FIREARMS TRAINING OR SAFETY
- 2 COURSE OR CLASS CONDUCTED BY AN INSTRUCTOR CERTIFIED BY THIS
- 3 STATE, OR BY ANOTHER STATE, OR BY THE NATIONAL RIFLE
- 4 ASSOCIATION.
- 5 (vi) PROOF OF EXPERIENCE EQUIVALENT TO A COURSE OR CLASS
- **6** DESCRIBED IN SUBPARAGRAPHS (i) TO (v).
- 7 (vii) PROOF THAT HE OR SHE IS LICENSED OR HAS BEEN LICENSED
- 8 IN THIS STATE OR IN ANOTHER STATE TO CARRY A CONCEALED WEAPON
- 9 UNLESS THAT LICENSE WAS REVOKED FOR CAUSE.
- (6) A PHOTOCOPY OF A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF A COURSE
- 11 OR CLASS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (5)(I)(i) TO (v), OR AN AFFIDA-
- 12 VIT FROM THE INSTRUCTOR, SCHOOL, CLUB, OR GROUP PRESENTING A
- 13 CLASS OR COURSE DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (5)(I)(i) TO (v) STATING
- 14 THAT THE APPLICANT SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE COURSE OR CLASS, OR
- 15 A COPY OF A DOCUMENT THAT SHOWS COMPLETION OF A COURSE OR CLASS
- 16 IN FIREARMS COMPETITION, IS EVIDENCE THAT THE APPLICANT SUCCESS-
- 17 FULLY COMPLETED THAT COURSE OR CLASS.
- 18 (7) A LICENSE SHALL BE ISSUED OR DENIED UNDER THIS SECTION
- 19 ON OR BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF 90 DAYS AFTER THE APPLICATION FOR
- 20 THE LICENSE IS RECEIVED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE.
- 21 (8) IF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ISSUES A LICENSE TO CARRY A
- 22 PISTOL, WHETHER CONCEALED OR OTHERWISE, IN A VEHICLE OPERATED OR
- 23 OCCUPIED BY THE APPLICANT, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL PROVIDE
- 24 THE APPLICANT WITH A DECAL DISTRIBUTED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (9)
- 25 THAT THE APPLICANT MAY PLACE IN THE REAR WINDOW OF A MOTOR VEHI-
- 26 CLE OPERATED OR OCCUPIED BY THE APPLICANT.

- 1 (9) THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE SHALL DESIGN A DECAL BASED UPON
- 2 THE FIRST FLAG USED BY THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONGRESS, AND
- 3 CONTAINING THE PHRASE "DON'T TREAD ON ME". THE DEPARTMENT OF
- 4 STATE SHALL DISTRIBUTE THE DECALS TO APPLICANTS AS PROVIDED UNDER
- 5 SUBSECTION (8). THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE SHALL NOT CHARGE A FEE
- 6 FOR THE DECALS.
- 7 (10) -(7) The -county clerk SECRETARY OF STATE may issue a
- 8 copy of a license issued pursuant to this section for a fee of
- 9 \$3.00. -which THE fee shall be paid into the general fund of the
- 10 -county- STATE.
- 11 (8) A charter county may impose by ordinance a different
- 12 amount for the concealed weapon licensing fee prescribed by sub-
- 13 section (6). A charter county shall not impose a fee which is
- 14 greater than the cost of the service for which the fee is
- 15 charged.
- 16 (11) A PERSON OTHER THAN THE SECRETARY OF STATE OR HIS OR
- 17 HER AUTHORIZED AGENT SHALL NOT ISSUE A LICENSE TO CARRY A PISTOL
- 18 CONCEALED ON THE PERSON OR TO CARRY A PISTOL, WHETHER CONCEALED
- 19 OR OTHERWISE, IN A VEHICLE OPERATED OR OCCUPIED BY THE PERSON.
- 20 Sec. 6a. (1) A concealed weapons licensing board THE SEC-
- 21 RETARY OF STATE may issue to any bank, trust company, armored car
- 22 company, railway company, express company, or other company,
- 23 institution, copartnership, or individual having in its, their,
- 24 or the individual's possession POSSESSING large sums of money or
- 25 other valuables, a license authorizing the licensee to equip the
- 26 LICENSEE'S premises or vehicles under its, their, or the
- 27 individual's control with gas ejecting devices to be used solely

- 1 for the purpose of protecting TO PROTECT those premises or
- 2 vehicles and the persons or property in the premises or vehicles
- 3 from criminal assaults.
- 4 (2) The director of the department of state police
- 5 SECRETARY OF STATE shall promulgate rules to govern the issuing
- 6 of the license and the making of an application for the license.
- 7 The rules shall be promulgated pursuant to the administrative
- 8 procedures act of 1969, Act No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969,
- 9 as amended, being sections 24.201 to 24.328 of the Michigan
- 10 Compiled Laws. The concealed weapons licensing board SECRETARY
- 11 OF STATE may issue to any company, copartnership, or individual
- 12 -under the limitations and pursuant to the rules promulgated by
- 13 the director of the department of state police a license autho-
- 14 rizing the corporation, copartnership, or individual to manufac-
- 15 ture or sell, or both, a gas ejecting or emitting weapon, cart-
- 16 ridge, or device to any person authorized by law to possess the
- 17 weapon, cartridge, or device.
- 18 (3) For purposes of this section, "gas ejecting device"
- 19 means a device designed for the purpose of rendering a person
- 20 either temporarily or permanently disabled by the ejection,
- 21 release, or emission of a gas or other substance.
- 22 (4) A license shall IS not be required under this sec-
- 23 tion for the sale, purchase, or possession of a self-defense
- 24 spray device, as defined in section 224d of the Michigan penal
- 25 code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931, being section
- 26 750.224d of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

Sec. 8. The licensing board herein created by section 6 2 SECRETARY OF STATE may revoke any license issued -by it UNDER 3 SECTION 6 upon receiving a certificate of any magistrate showing 4 that -such THE licensee has been convicted of violating any of 5 the provisions of this act, or has been convicted of a felony OR 6 AN ASSAULTIVE MISDEMEANOR. -Such A license ISSUED UNDER 7 SECTION 6 may also be revoked whenever IF in the judgment of 8 -said board THE SECRETARY OF STATE the reason for granting 9 - such THE license - shall have ceased CEASES to exist, or 10 whenever said board shall IF THE SECRETARY OF STATE for any 11 reasonable cause determine said DETERMINES THE licensee to be 12 an IS unfit person to carry a pistol concealed upon his OR HER 13 person. No such A license shall be revoked except ONLY upon 14 written complaint and then only after a hearing by said board, 15 of which THE SECRETARY OF STATE. THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL 16 PROVIDE THE PERSON WITH at least 7 days' notice shall be given 17 to the licensee either OF AN ACTION UNDER THIS SECTION by per-18 sonal service or by registered mail to his THE PERSON'S last 19 known address. The clerk of said licensing board is hereby 20 authorized to SECRETARY OF STATE MAY administer an oath to any

21 person testifying before such board at any such. A hearing

22 UNDER THIS SECTION.