SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 780

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

by amending section 234e (MCL 750.234e), as added by 1990 PA 321.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 234e. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2), a person
- 2 shall not knowingly brandish a firearm OR AN ALTERED IMITATION
- **3 FIREARM** in public.
- 4 (2) Subsection (1) does not apply to any of the following:
- 5 (a) A peace officer lawfully performing his or her duties as a
- 6 peace officer.
- 7 (b) A person lawfully engaged in hunting.
- 8 (c) A person lawfully engaged in target practice.
- 9 (d) A person lawfully engaged in the sale, purchase, repair,
- 10 or transfer of that firearm.

- 1 (3) A person who violates this section is guilty of a
- 2 misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90-93 days
- 3 τ or a fine of not more than \$100.00, or both.
- 4 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "ALTERED IMITATION FIREARM" MEANS
- 5 A TOY, LOOK-ALIKE, OR IMITATION FIREARM THAT HAS BEEN ALTERED IN A
- 6 MANNER DESCRIBED IN SECTION 225(1)(A).
- 7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 8 after the date it is enacted into law.
- 9 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 10 unless Senate Bill No. 779 of the 96th Legislature is enacted into
- **11** law.