

**THE SOCIAL WELFARE ACT (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 280 of 1939**

**400.50 County employee; unauthorized transfer of public relief recipient, misdemeanor.**

Sec. 50. Any county employee or officer who transports, brings or causes to be transported or brought, any other person receiving general relief, hospitalization or infirmity care, or in need of general relief, hospitalization or infirmity care from any county or from any city operating a separate department of social welfare under this act into any other county or city operating a separate department without legal authority and there leave the person receiving general relief or in need of general relief; or who induces such person by threat or other means to remove to another county or city operating a separate department, with the intent to make the county or city to which the removal is made chargeable with the support of the person receiving or in need of public assistance, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

**History:** Add. 1961, Act 184, Eff. Sept. 8, 1961.

**Compiler's note:** Former MCL 400.50, deriving from Act 280 of 1939 and authorizing employment of supervisor of bureau of social aid, was repealed by Act 95 of 1957.

**Popular name:** Act 280