



HOUSE BILL No. 5965

November 29 1994, Introduced by Rep Hill and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

A bill to amend section 8511 of Act No 236 of the Public Acts of 1961 entitled as amended

Revised judicature act of 1961

as amended by Act No 266 of the Public Acts of 1990 being section 600 8511 of the Michigan Compiled Laws

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT

1 Section 1 Section 8511 of Act No 236 of the Public Acts
2 of 1961 as amended by Act No 266 of the Public Acts of 1990
3 being section 600 8511 of the Michigan Compiled Laws is amended
4 to read as follows

5 Sec 8511 (1) A district court magistrate ~~shall have~~ HAS
6 the following jurisdiction and duties

7 (a) To arraign and sentence upon pleas of guilty or nolo
8 contendere for violations of the following acts or parts of acts,
9 or a local ordinance substantially corresponding to these acts or

1 parts of acts when authorized by the chief judge of the district
2 court and if the maximum permissible punishment does not exceed
3 90 days in jail or a fine or both

4 (i) Michigan vehicle code Act No 300 of the Public Acts of
5 1949 as amended being sections 257 1 to 257 923 of the Michigan
6 Compiled Laws except for violations of ~~sections~~ SECTION 625
7 ~~and 625b~~ of Act No 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, being
8 ~~sections~~ SECTION 257 625 ~~and 257 625b~~ of the Michigan
9 Compiled Laws However the magistrate may have the jurisdiction
10 to arraign defendants and set bond with regard to violations of
11 ~~sections~~ SECTION 625 ~~and 625b~~ of Act No 300 of the Public
12 Acts of 1949

13 (ii) Michigan ~~sportsmen~~ SPORTS fishing law Act No 165 of
14 the Public Acts of 1929 as amended being sections 301 1
15 to 306 3 of the Michigan Compiled Laws

16 (iii) The wildlife conservation act Act No 256 of the
17 Public Acts of 1988 being sections 300 251 to 300 270 of the
18 Michigan Compiled Laws

19 (iv) Marine safety act Act No 303 of the Public Acts of
20 1967 as amended being sections 281 1001 to 281 1199 of the
21 Michigan Compiled Laws

22 (v) The motor carrier act Act No 254 of the Public Acts of
23 1933 as amended being sections 475 1 to ~~479 20~~ 479 53 of the
24 Michigan Compiled Laws

25 (vi) Motor carrier safety act of 1963 Act No 181 of the
26 Public Acts of 1963 as amended, being sections 480 11 to 480 21
27 of the Michigan Compiled Laws

1 (vii) THE MICHIGAN SNOWMOBILE ACT (Act No 74 of the Public
2 Acts of 1968 as amended being sections 257 1501 to ~~257 1518~~
3 257 1543 of the Michigan Compiled Laws

4 (viii) Dog law of 1919 Act No 339 of the Public Acts of
5 1919 as amended being sections 287 261 to 287 290 of the
6 Michigan Compiled Laws

7 (ix) ~~Sections~~ SECTION 33a 33b OR 34 ~~or 34a~~ of the
8 Michigan liquor control act Act No 8 of the Public Acts of the
9 Extra Session of 1933 as amended being sections 436 33a
10 436 33b AND 436 34 ~~, and 436 34a~~ of the Michigan Compiled
11 Laws

12 (x) Act No 17 of the Public Acts of 1921 as amended being
13 sections 299 1 to 299 10 of the Michigan Compiled Laws

14 (xi) Act No 319 of the Public Acts of 1975 being
15 sections 257 1601 to 257 1626 of the Michigan Compiled Laws

16 (xii) Act No 106 of the Public Acts of 1963, as amended
17 being sections 752 901 to 752 906 of the Michigan Compiled Laws

18 (xiii) The hunting and fishing license act Act No 86 of
19 the Public Acts of 1980 being sections 316 101 to 316 902 of the
20 Michigan Compiled Laws

21 (xiv) Recreational trespass act Act No 323 of the Public
22 Acts of 1976 being sections 317 171 to 317 181 of the Michigan
23 Compiled Laws

24 (xv) Chapter LXXXV of the Michigan penal code Act No 328
25 of the Public Acts of 1931 being sections 750 546 to 750 552a of
26 the Michigan Compiled Laws

1 (b) To issue warrants for the arrest of a person upon the
2 written authorization of the prosecuting or municipal attorney
3 except written authorization ~~shall~~ IS not ~~be~~ required for a
4 vehicle law or ordinance violation within the jurisdiction of the
5 magistrate if a police officer issued a traffic citation pursuant
6 to section 728 of the Michigan vehicle code Act No 300 of the
7 Public Acts of 1949 as amended being section 257 728 of the
8 Michigan Compiled Laws and the defendant failed to appear

9 (c) To fix bail and accept bond in all cases

10 (d) To issue search warrants when authorized to do so by a
11 district court judge

12 (2) AUTHORIZATION UNDER SUBSECTION (1)(A) OR (D) MAY BE A
13 GENERAL AUTHORIZATION TO PERFORM THAT FUNCTION RATHER THAN A SPE-
14 CIFIC AUTHORIZATION TO ACT IN AN INDIVIDUAL CASE

15 Section 2 This amendatory act shall not take effect unless
16 Senate Bill No ____ or House Bill No 5964 (request
17 no 05808 94 a) of the 87th Legislature is enacted into law