



HOUSE BILL No. 5453

November 30, 1995, Introduced by Reps. Green, Kukuk, Horton, Goschka, Brewer, Rhead, McManus, Pitoniak, Anthony, Lowe, Voorhees, Walberg, Hanley, Middleton, Jersevic and Llewellyn and referred to the Committee on Conservation, Environment and Great Lakes.

A bill to amend section 40116 of Act No. 451 of the Public Acts of 1994, entitled

"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"

as added by Act No. 57 of the Public Acts of 1995, being section 324.40116 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 40116 of Act No. 451 of the Public Acts
2 of 1994, as added by Act No. 57 of the Public Acts of 1995, being
3 section 324.40116 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to
4 read as follows:

5 Sec. 40116. (1) A person shall not take game during the
6 established daylight shooting hours from August 15 through
7 April 30 unless the person wears a cap, hat, vest, jacket, or
8 rain gear of the highly visible color commonly referred to as
9 hunter orange. Hunter orange includes blaze orange, flame

1 orange, or fluorescent blaze orange, and camouflage that is not
2 less than 50% hunter orange. The garments that are hunter orange
3 shall be the hunter's outermost garment and shall be visible from
4 all sides of the hunter. This section does not apply to a person
5 engaged in the taking of deer OR BEAR with a bow during archery
6 ~~deer~~ season or A PERSON engaged in the taking of waterfowl,
7 crow, or turkey.

8 (2) The failure of a person to comply with this section is
9 not evidence of contributory negligence in a civil action for
10 injury to the person or for the person's wrongful death.