## SUBSTITUTE FOR

## HOUSE BILL NO. 5428

## A bill to amend 1927 PA 372, entitled

"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 or other authorization; to provide for the forfeiture of firearms under certain circumstances; to provide for penalties and remedies; to provide immunity from civil liability under certain circumstances; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies; to prohibit certain conduct against individuals who apply for or receive a license to carry a concealed pistol; to make appropriations; to prescribe certain conditions for the appropriations; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act,"

by amending section 9 (MCL 28.429), as amended by 1996 PA 169.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 9. (1) A person within the state who owns or comes
- 2 into possession of a pistol shall, if he or she resides in a
- 3 city, township, or village having an organized police department,
- 4 present the pistol for safety inspection to the commissioner or
- 5 chief of police of the city, township, or village police

- 1 department or to a duly authorized deputy of the commissioner or
- 2 chief of police. If that person resides in a part of the county
- 3 not included within a city, township, or village having an
- 4 organized police department, he or she shall present the pistol
- 5 for safety inspection to the sheriff of the county or to a duly
- 6 authorized deputy of the sheriff. If the person presenting the
- 7 pistol is eligible to possess a pistol under section 2(1), a
- 8 certificate of inspection shall be issued in triplicate on a form
- 9 provided by the director of the department of state police,
- 10 containing the name, age, address, description, and signature of
- 11 the person presenting the pistol for inspection, together with a
- 12 full description of the pistol. The original of the certificate
- 13 shall be delivered to the registrant. The duplicate of the
- 14 certificate shall be mailed within 48 hours to the director of
- 15 the department of state police and filed and indexed by the
- 16 department and kept as a permanent official record. The
- 17 triplicate of the certificate shall be retained and filed in the
- 18 office of the sheriff, commissioner, or chief of police. This
- 19 section does not apply to a wholesale or retail dealer in
- 20 firearms who regularly engages in the business of selling pistols
- 21 at retail, or to a person who holds a collection of pistols kept
- 22 —solely— for the purpose of display as relics —, or curios —, or
- 23 antiques, and that are not made for modern ammunition or are
- 24 permanently deactivated.
- 25 (2) A person who presents a pistol for a safety inspection
- 26 under subsection (1) shall ensure that the pistol is unloaded and
- 27 that the pistol is equipped with a trigger lock or other

- ${f 1}$  disabling mechanism or encased when the pistol is presented for
- 2 inspection. A person who violates this subsection is responsible
- 3 for a state civil infraction and may be ordered to pay a civil
- 4 fine of not more than \$50.00.