

# Legislative Analysis

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## REVISE CONCEALED PISTOL PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

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**House Bill 4978**

**Sponsor: Rep. Dave Hildenbrand**

**Committee: Conservation, Forestry, and Outdoor Recreation**

**Complete to 9-2-05**

## A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4978 AS INTRODUCED 6-21-05

House Bill 4978 would amend Public Act 372 of 1927, which concerns the regulation of firearms, to require that those seeking a concealed pistol permit must meet certain federal eligibility standards.

The bill would prohibit issuing a license to an applicant under sections 2 or 5b [which concern licenses to purchase, carry, or transport firearms; and to carry concealed pistols, respectively], unless both the following applied:

- the issuing agency had determined that the applicant was not prohibited under federal law from possessing or transporting a firearm; and,

- the issuing agency had verified through the U. S. immigration and customs enforcement databases that the applicant was not an illegal alien, or a nonimmigrant alien.

MCL 28.421 to 28.435

## FISCAL IMPACT:

The bill would have an indeterminate fiscal impact.

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