SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5421

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code,"

by amending section 520b (MCL 750.520b), as amended by 2002 PA 714.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 520b. (1) A person is guilty of criminal sexual conduct
- 2 in the first degree if he or she engages in sexual penetration with
- 3 another person and if any of the following circumstances exists:
- 4 (a) That other person is under 13 years of age.
- 5 (b) That other person is at least 13 but less than 16 years of
- 6 age and any of the following:
- 7 (i) The actor is a member of the same household as the victim.
- 8 (ii) The actor is related to the victim by blood or affinity to
- 9 the fourth degree.
- 10 (iii) The actor is in a position of authority over the victim

- 1 and used this authority to coerce the victim to submit.
- (iv) The actor is a teacher, substitute teacher, or
- 3 administrator of the public or nonpublic school in which that other
- 4 person is enrolled.
- 5 (c) Sexual penetration occurs under circumstances involving
- 6 the commission of any other felony.
- 7 (d) The actor is aided or abetted by 1 or more other persons
- 8 and either of the following circumstances exists:
- 9 (i) The actor knows or has reason to know that the victim is
- 10 mentally incapable, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless.
- 11 (ii) The actor uses force or coercion to accomplish the sexual
- 12 penetration. Force or coercion includes but is not limited to any
- of the circumstances listed in subdivision -(f)(i) to (v) (F).
- 14 (e) The actor is armed with a weapon or any article used or
- 15 fashioned in a manner to lead the victim to reasonably believe it
- 16 to be a weapon.
- 17 (f) The actor causes personal injury to the victim and force
- 18 or coercion is used to accomplish sexual penetration. Force or
- 19 coercion includes but is not limited to any of the following
- 20 circumstances:
- 21 (i) When the actor overcomes the victim through the actual
- 22 application of physical force or physical violence.
- 23 (ii) When the actor coerces the victim to submit by threatening
- 24 to use force or violence on the victim, and the victim believes
- 25 that the actor has the present ability to execute these threats.
- 26 (iii) When the actor coerces the victim to submit by threatening
- 27 to retaliate in the future against the victim, or any other person,

- 1 and the victim believes that the actor has the ability to execute
- 2 this threat. As used in this subdivision, "to retaliate" includes
- 3 threats of physical punishment, kidnapping, or extortion.
- 4 (iv) When the actor engages in the medical treatment or
- 5 examination of the victim in a manner or for purposes -which THAT
- 6 are medically recognized as unethical or unacceptable.
- 7 (v) When the actor, through concealment or by the element of
- 8 surprise, is able to overcome the victim.
- 9 (g) The actor causes personal injury to the victim, and the
- 10 actor knows or has reason to know that the victim is mentally
- 11 incapable, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless.
- 12 (h) That other person is mentally incapable, mentally
- 13 disabled, mentally incapacitated, or physically helpless, and any
- 14 of the following:
- 15 (i) The actor is related to the victim by blood or affinity to
- 16 the fourth degree.
- 17 (ii) The actor is in a position of authority over the victim
- 18 and used this authority to coerce the victim to submit.
- 19 (2) Criminal sexual conduct in the first degree is a felony
- 20 punishable AS FOLLOWS:
- 21 (A) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISIONS (B) AND (C), by
- 22 imprisonment in the state prison for life or for any term of
- 23 years.
- 24 (B) FOR A VIOLATION THAT IS COMMITTED BY AN INDIVIDUAL 17
- 25 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER AGAINST AN INDIVIDUAL LESS THAN 13 YEARS OF
- 26 AGE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR LIFE OR ANY TERM OF YEARS, BUT NOT LESS
- 27 THAN 25 YEARS.

- 1 (C) FOR A VIOLATION THAT IS COMMITTED BY AN INDIVIDUAL 17
- 2 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER AGAINST AN INDIVIDUAL LESS THAN 13 YEARS OF
- 3 AGE, BY IMPRISONMENT FOR LIFE WITHOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF PAROLE IF
- 4 THE PERSON WAS PREVIOUSLY CONVICTED OF A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION
- 5 OR SECTION 520C, 520D, 520E, OR 520G COMMITTED AGAINST AN
- 6 INDIVIDUAL LESS THAN 13 YEARS OF AGE OR A VIOLATION OF LAW OF THE
- 7 UNITED STATES, ANOTHER STATE OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION SUBSTANTIALLY
- 8 CORRESPONDING TO A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION OR SECTION 520C, 520D,
- 9 520E, OR 520G COMMITTED AGAINST AN INDIVIDUAL LESS THAN 13 YEARS OF
- 10 AGE.
- 11 (D) IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER PENALTY IMPOSED UNDER SUBDIVISION
- 12 (A) OR (B), THE COURT SHALL SENTENCE THE DEFENDANT TO LIFETIME
- 13 ELECTRONIC MONITORING UNDER SECTION 520N.
- 14 (3) THE COURT MAY ORDER A TERM OF IMPRISONMENT IMPOSED UNDER
- 15 THIS SECTION TO BE SERVED CONSECUTIVELY TO ANY TERM OF IMPRISONMENT
- 16 IMPOSED FOR ANY OTHER CRIMINAL OFFENSE ARISING FROM THE SAME
- 17 TRANSACTION.
- 18 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 19 after the date it is enacted.
- 20 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 21 unless all of the following bills of the 93rd Legislature are
- 22 enacted into law:
- 23 (a) Senate Bill No. 709.
- 24 (b) Senate Bill No. 717.
- 25 (c) Senate Bill No. 718.
- 26 (d) Senate Bill No. 1122.
- 27 (e) House Bill No. 5422.

- 1 (f) House Bill No. 5531.
- 2 (g) House Bill No. 5532.