

SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 540

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled
"The Michigan penal code,"
by amending section 552 (MCL 750.552).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 552. (1) ~~Any~~ A person who shall wilfully enter, upon
2 **SHALL NOT DO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:**

3 (A) **ENTER** the lands or premises of another without lawful
4 authority ~~, after having been forbidden so to do by the owner or~~
5 occupant ~~, OR THE agent or servant of the owner or occupant. , or~~
6 any person being upon

7 (B) **REMAIN WITHOUT LAWFUL AUTHORITY ON** the land or premises of
8 another ~~, upon AFTER~~ being notified to depart ~~therefrom~~ by the
9 owner or occupant ~~, OR the agent or servant of either, who without~~
10 ~~lawful authority neglects or refuses to depart therefrom, shall be~~

1 OF THE OWNER OR OCCUPANT.

2 (C) ENTER OR REMAIN WITHOUT LAWFUL AUTHORITY ON FENCED OR
3 POSTED FARM PROPERTY OF ANOTHER PERSON WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE
4 OWNER OR HIS OR HER LESSEE OR AGENT. A REQUEST TO LEAVE THE
5 PREMISES IS NOT A NECESSARY ELEMENT FOR A VIOLATION OF THIS
6 SUBDIVISION. THIS SUBDIVISION DOES NOT APPLY TO A PERSON WHO IS IN
7 THE PROCESS OF ATTEMPTING, BY THE MOST DIRECT ROUTE, TO CONTACT THE
8 OWNER OR HIS OR HER LESSEE OR AGENT TO REQUEST CONSENT.

9 (2) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES SUBSECTION (1) IS guilty of a
10 misdemeanor and ~~upon conviction thereof shall be punished~~
11 **PUNISHABLE** by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than 30
12 days or by a fine of not more than ~~\$50.00~~ **\$250.00**, or both. ~~in~~
13 ~~the discretion of the court.~~

14 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
15 after the date it is enacted.