HOUSE BILL No. 6226

June 1, 2010, Introduced by Reps. Lisa Brown and Rick Jones and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled

"Public health code,"

by amending sections 7403 and 7404 (MCL 333.7403 and 333.7404), as amended by 2002 PA 710.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 7403. (1) A person shall not knowingly or intentionally
- 2 possess a controlled substance, a controlled substance analogue, or
- 3 a prescription form unless the controlled substance, controlled
- 4 substance analogue, or prescription form was obtained directly
- 5 from, or pursuant to, a valid prescription or order of a
- 6 practitioner while acting in the course of the practitioner's
- 7 professional practice, or except as otherwise authorized by this
- 8 article.

- 1 (2) A person who violates this section as to:
- 2 (a) A controlled substance classified in schedule 1 or 2 that
- 3 is a narcotic drug or a drug described in section 7214(a)(iv), and:
- 4 (i) Which is in an amount of 1,000 grams or more of any mixture
- 5 containing that substance is guilty of a felony punishable by
- 6 imprisonment for life or any term of years or a fine of not more
- 7 than \$1,000,000.00, or both.
- 8 (ii) Which is in an amount of 450 grams or more, but less than
- 9 1,000 grams, of any mixture containing that substance is guilty of
- 10 a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 30 years or a
- 11 fine of not more than \$500,000.00, or both.
- 12 (iii) Which is in an amount of 50 grams or more, but less than
- 13 450 grams, of any mixture containing that substance is guilty of a
- 14 felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 20 years or a
- 15 fine of not more than \$250,000.00, or both.
- (iv) Which is in an amount of 25 grams or more, but less than
- 17 50 grams of any mixture containing that substance is guilty of a
- 18 felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 4 years or a
- 19 fine of not more than \$25,000.00, or both.
- 20 (v) Which is in an amount less than 25 grams of any mixture
- 21 containing that substance is guilty of a felony punishable by
- 22 imprisonment for not more than 4 years or a fine of not more than
- 23 \$25,000.00, or both.
- 24 (b) Either of the following:
- **25** (*i*) A substance described in section 7212(1)(q) or 7214(c)(*ii*)
- 26 is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than
- 27 10 years or a fine of not more than \$15,000.00, or both.

- 1 (ii) A controlled substance classified in schedule 1, 2, 3, or
- 2 4, except a controlled substance for which a penalty is prescribed
- 3 in SUBPARAGRAPH (i) OR subdivision (a), $\frac{(b)(i)}{(c)}$, or (d), or a
- 4 controlled substance analogue is guilty of a felony punishable by
- 5 imprisonment for not more than 2 years or a fine of not more than
- 6 \$2,000.00, or both.
- 7 (c) Lysergic acid diethylamide, peyote, mescaline,
- 8 dimethyltryptamine, psilocyn, psilocybin, or a controlled substance
- 9 classified in schedule 5 is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by
- 10 imprisonment for not more than 1 year or a fine of not more than
- 11 \$2,000.00, or both.
- 12 (d) Marihuana OR A SUBSTANCE DESCRIBED IN SECTION 7212(1)(H)
- 13 is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more
- 14 than 1 year or a fine of not more than \$2,000.00, or both.
- 15 (e) A prescription form is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable
- 16 by imprisonment for not more than 1 year or a fine of not more than
- 17 \$1,000.00, or both.
- 18 (3) If an individual was sentenced to lifetime probation under
- 19 subsection (2) (a) (iv) before the effective date of the amendatory
- 20 act that added this subsection APRIL 1, 2003 and the individual has
- 21 served 5 or more years of that probationary period, the probation
- 22 officer for that individual may recommend to the court that the
- 23 court discharge the individual from probation. If an individual's
- 24 probation officer does not recommend discharge as provided in this
- 25 subsection, with notice to the prosecutor, the individual may
- 26 petition the court seeking resentencing under the court rules. The
- 27 court may discharge an individual from probation as provided in

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- 1 this subsection. An individual may file more than 1 motion seeking
- 2 resentencing under this subsection.
- 3 Sec. 7404. (1) A person shall not use a controlled substance
- 4 or controlled substance analogue unless the substance was obtained
- 5 directly from, or pursuant to, a valid prescription or order of a
- 6 practitioner while acting in the course of the practitioner's
- 7 professional practice, or except as otherwise authorized by this
- 8 article.
- 9 (2) A person who violates this section as to:
- 10 (a) A controlled substance classified in schedule 1 or 2 as a
- 11 narcotic drug or a drug described in section 7212(1)(g) or
- 12 7214(a) (iv) or (c) (ii) is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by
- imprisonment for not more than 1 year or a fine of not more than
- 14 \$2,000.00, or both.
- 15 (b) A controlled substance classified in schedule 1, 2, 3, or
- 16 4, except a controlled substance for which a penalty is prescribed
- 17 in subdivision (a), (c), or (d), or a controlled substance
- 18 analogue, is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for
- 19 not more than 1 year or a fine of not more than \$1,000.00, or both.
- 20 (c) Lysergic acid diethylamide, peyote, mescaline,
- 21 dimethyltryptamine, psilocyn, psilocybin, or a controlled substance
- 22 classified in schedule 5, is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by
- 23 imprisonment for not more than 6 months or a fine of not more than
- 24 \$500.00, or both.
- 25 (d) Marihuana OR A SUBSTANCE DESCRIBED IN SECTION 7212(1)(H),
- 26 is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more

- House Bill No. 6226 as amended June 23, 2010 Enacting section [2]. This amendatory act does not take effect 1
- unless House Bill No. 6038 of the 95th Legislature is enacted into 2
- 3 law.