

# SENATE BILL No. 501

September 17, 2013, Introduced by Senators ANDERSON, HOPGOOD, ANANICH, JONES, BIEDA, JOHNSON, WHITMER, HUNTER, GREGORY, HOOD and YOUNG and referred to the Committee on Families, Seniors and Human Services.

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled  
"The Michigan penal code,"  
(MCL 750.1 to 750.568) by adding section 462k.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1        SEC. 462K. (1) A PERSON WHO KNOWS THAT ANOTHER PERSON IS BEING  
2        SUBJECTED TO A VIOLATION OF THIS CHAPTER SHALL IMMEDIATELY REPORT  
3        THAT VIOLATION TO A POLICE AGENCY. THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY  
4        IF THE PERSON IS NOT ABLE TO IMMEDIATELY REPORT THE VIOLATION  
5        PROVIDED THAT HE OR SHE IMMEDIATELY REPORTS THE VIOLATION WHEN ABLE  
6        TO DO SO.

7        (2) THE REQUIREMENTS FOR REPORTING A VIOLATION OF THIS CHAPTER  
8        ARE MET IF EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING APPLIES:

9        (A) THE PERSON CONTACTS A 9-1-1 EMERGENCY OPERATOR AND REPORTS  
10       THE VIOLATION.

11       (B) THE PERSON CONTACTS THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE USING

1 THE TOLL-FREE NUMBER ESTABLISHED BY THAT DEPARTMENT UNDER THE HUMAN  
2 TRAFFICKING REPORTING ACT AND REPORTS THE VIOLATION.

3 (3) THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION INCLUDE AN  
4 ANONYMOUS REPORT IF THE PERSON REPORTS SUFFICIENT INFORMATION TO  
5 IDENTIFY THE VICTIM AND NATURE OF THE OFFENSE.

6 (4) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A  
7 MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 90 DAYS OR  
8 A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00, OR BOTH.

9 (5) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "POLICE AGENCY" MEANS ANY OF THE  
10 FOLLOWING ENTITIES HAVING JURISDICTION OF THE OFFENSE:

11 (A) THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE.

12 (B) A COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

13 (C) THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF A VILLAGE, CITY, OR TOWNSHIP.

14 (D) THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE, COLLEGE, OR  
15 UNIVERSITY.

16 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect  
17 unless Senate Bill No. 499

18 of the 97th Legislature is enacted into law.