

HOUSE BILL No. 5358

February 16, 2016, Introduced by Rep. Lucido and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code," by amending section 227 (MCL 750.227), as amended by 1986 PA 8; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 227. (1) A person shall not carry a dagger, dirk,
2 stiletto, a double-edged nonfolding stabbing instrument of any
3 length, or any other dangerous weapon, ~~except a hunting knife~~
4 ~~adapted and carried as such,~~ concealed on or about his or her
5 person, or whether concealed or otherwise in any vehicle operated
6 or occupied by the person, except in his or her dwelling house,
7 place of business or on other land possessed by the person. **THIS**
8 **SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING:**

9 **(A) A PERSON CARRYING A HUNTING KNIFE ADAPTED AND CARRIED AS A**
10 **HUNTING KNIFE CONCEALED ON OR ABOUT HIS OR HER PERSON OR WHETHER**

1 CONCEALED OR OTHERWISE IN ANY VEHICLE OPERATED OR OCCUPIED BY THE
2 PERSON.

3 (B) A PERSON CARRYING A PISTOL CONCEALED ON OR ABOUT HIS OR
4 HER PERSON OR WHETHER CONCEALED OR OTHERWISE IN ANY VEHICLE
5 OPERATED OR OCCUPIED BY THE PERSON.

6 ~~—— (2) A person shall not carry a pistol concealed on or about~~
7 ~~his or her person, or, whether concealed or otherwise, in a vehicle~~
8 ~~operated or occupied by the person, except in his or her dwelling~~
9 ~~house, place of business, or on other land possessed by the person,~~
10 ~~without a license to carry the pistol as provided by law and if~~
11 ~~licensed, shall not carry the pistol in a place or manner~~
12 ~~inconsistent with any restrictions upon such license.~~

13 (2) ~~(3)~~ A person who violates this section is guilty of a
14 felony ~~—~~ punishable by imprisonment for not more than 5 years ~~—~~ or
15 ~~by~~ a fine of not more than \$2,500.00.

16 Enacting section 1. Section 231a of the Michigan penal code,
17 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.231a, is repealed.