

HOUSE BILL No. 5921

May 2, 2018, Introduced by Rep. Kahle and referred to the Committee on Financial Services.

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled
"The Michigan penal code,"
by amending section 257 (MCL 750.257).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 257. ~~Sworn certificate made evidence~~—In all prosecutions
2 for forging or counterfeiting any note, certificate, bills of
3 credit, or other security issued ~~in~~**ON** behalf of the United States,
4 or ~~in~~**ON** behalf of any state or territory, or for uttering,
5 publishing, or tendering in payment as true ~~, any such~~ forged or
6 counterfeit note, certificate, bill of credit, or security, or for
7 ~~being possessed thereof~~**POSSESSING A FORGED OR COUNTERFEIT NOTE,**
8 **CERTIFICATE, BILL OF CREDIT, OR SECURITY** with **THE** intent to utter
9 or pass the ~~same~~**FORGED OR COUNTERFEIT NOTE, CERTIFICATE, BILL OF**
10 **CREDIT, OR SECURITY** as true, the certificate under oath of the

1 secretary of the treasury, or of ~~the treasurer of the United~~
2 ~~States,~~ **AN OFFICER, EMPLOYEE, OR AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES**
3 **DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF**
4 **HOMELAND SECURITY, OR THE UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, WHO IS**
5 **AUTHORIZED TO SIGN A SWORN CERTIFICATE,** or of the secretary or
6 treasurer of any state or territory on whose behalf such note,
7 certificate, bill of credit, or security ~~—~~purports to have been
8 issued, ~~shall~~ **MUST** be admitted as evidence for the purpose of
9 proving the **NOTE, CERTIFICATE, BILL OF CREDIT, OR SECURITY** ~~same to~~
10 ~~be~~ **IS** forged or counterfeit.

11 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
12 after the date it is enacted into law.