## **HOUSE BILL NO. 4698**

April 22, 2021, Introduced by Reps. Albert and Calley and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code,"

(MCL 750.1 to 750.568) by adding section 499.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 499. (1) A person who knowingly and willfully raises a
- 2 false active shooter alarm in a public place, including, but not
- 3 limited to, a school, is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by
- 4 imprisonment for not more than 1 year and a fine of not more than
- 5 \$1,000.00.

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- 1 (2) As used in this section, "active shooter alarm" means an
  2 alarm system that is designed to alert individuals inside that
  3 place, that there is an active shooter on or near the premises,
  4 including an alarm system that when activated locks doors, informs
  5 local law enforcement of the active shooter, flashes a blue light,
  6 and broadcasts a message inside the place indicating the presence
  7 of an active shooter.
- 8 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days9 after the date it is enacted into law.