

**THE MICHIGAN PENAL CODE (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 328 of 1931**

**750.249 Forgery of records and other instruments; uttering and publishing; exception.**

Sec. 249. (1) A person who utters and publishes as true a false, forged, altered, or counterfeit record, instrument, or other writing listed in section 248 knowing it to be false, altered, forged, or counterfeit with intent to injure or defraud is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 14 years.

(2) This section does not apply to a scrivener's error.

**History:** 1931, Act 328, Eff. Sept. 18, 1931;—CL 1948, 750.249;—Am. 2008, Act 378, Imd. Eff. Dec. 23, 2008;—Am. 2011, Act 206, Eff. Jan. 1, 2012.

**Former law:** See section 2 of Ch. 155 of R.S. 1846, being CL 1857, § 5803; CL 1871, § 7632; How., § 9214; CL 1897, § 11660; CL 1915, § 15433; and CL 1929, § 17049.