

4 punished also as provided by this act.

1 Sec. 4. In the trial of a person for committing or
2 attempting to commit a crime of violence, the fact that he
3 was armed with a pistol and had no license to carry the same
4 shall be prima facie evidence of his intention to commit
5 said crime of violence.

1 Sec. 5. No person who has been convicted in this state
2 or elsewhere of a crime of violence, shall own a pistol or
3 have one in his possession or under his control.

1 Sec. 6. No person shall carry a pistol concealed in
2 any vehicle or on or about his person, except in his abode
3 or fixed place of business, without a license therefor as
4 hereinafter provided.

1 Sec. 7. The provisions of the preceding section shall not
2 apply to marshals, sheriffs, prison or jail wardens or their
3 deputies, policemen or other law enforcement officers, or to
4 members of the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States
5 or of the national guard or organized reserves when on duty,
6 or to the regularly enrolled members of any organization
7 duly authorized to purchase or receive such weapons from
8 the United States or from this state, provided such members
9 are at or are going to or from their places of assembly or
10 target practice, or to officers or employees of the United
11 States duly authorized to carry a concealed pistol, or to
12 any person engaged in the business of manufacturing, re-
13 pairing, or dealing in firearms or the agent or representa-

14 tive of any such person having in his possession, using,
15 or carrying a pistol in the usual or ordinary course of
16 such business, or to any person while carrying a pistol
17 unloaded and in a secure wrapper from the place of purchase
18 to his home or place of business or in moving from one
19 place of abode or business to another.

1 Sec. 8. The sheriff of any county may issue a license
2 to a resident of his county only, or to a non-resident of
3 the state employed or on duty in his county, to carry a
4 pistol concealed in a vehicle or on or about his person
5 within this state for not more than one year from date of
6 issue, if it appears that the applicant has good reason to
7 fear an injury to his person or property, or has any other
8 reason for carrying a pistol, and that he is a suitable
9 person to be so licensed. The license shall be in triplicate,
10 on forms to be prescribed by the Secretary of State, and
11 shall bear the name, address description, and signature of
12 the licensee and the reason given for desiring a license
13 The original thereof shall be delivered to the licensee,
14 the duplicate shall within seven days be sent by registered
15 mail to the Secretary of State and the triplicate shall
16 be preserved for six years by the sheriff issuing said
17 license. The fee for issuing such license shall be
18 \$....., which fee shall be paid into the (.....
19 Treasury). It shall be the duty of any person armed with
20 a pistol concealed upon his person to have in his immediate

21 possession the license provided for in this section and
22 to produce same for inspection at the request of any peace
23 officer.

1 Sec. 9. No person shall deliver a pistol to any minor
2 or to one who he has reasonable cause to believe has been
3 convicted of a crime of violence, or is a drug addict, an
4 habitual drunkard, or of unsound mind.

1 Sec. 10. No person shall sell, or give away, or expose
2 for sale or transfer, any pistol without being licensed as
3 hereinafter provided.

1 Sec. 11. The sheriff of any county may grant licenses
2 to residents of his county only, on forms prescribed by
3 the Secretary of State and effective for not more than
4 one year from date of issue, permitting a dealer to sell
5 pistols at retail subject to the following conditions in
6 addition to those specified in Section 13 hereof, for breach
7 of any of which the license shall be forfeited and the
8 licensee subject to punishment as provided in this act.

9 1. The business shall be carried on only in the building
10 designated in the license.

11 2. The license or a copy thereof, certified by the
12 issuing authority, shall be displayed on the premises where
13 it can easily be read.

14 3. No pistol shall be sold (a) in violation of any pro-
15 vision of this act, nor (b) shall a pistol be sold under
16 any circumstances unless the purchaser is personally known

17 to the seller or shall present clear evidence of his identity.

18 4. A true record in triplicate shall be made of every
19 pistol sold, in a book kept for the purpose, the form of
20 which may be prescribed by the (Secretary of State) and
21 shall be personally signed by the purchaser and by the per-
22 son effecting the sale, each in the presence of the other,
23 and shall contain the date of sale, the caliber, make,
24 model and manufacturer's number of the weapon, the name,
25 address, occupation, color, and place of birth of the
26 purchaser, and a statement signed by the purchaser that he
27 has never been convicted in this state or elsewhere of a
28 crime of violence. One copy shall within six hours be sent
29 by registered mail to the sheriff of the county of which the
30 dealer is a resident; the duplicate the dealer shall within
31 seven days send to the (Secretary of State); the triplicate
32 the dealer shall retain for six years.

33 5. No pistol or imitation thereof or placard advertising
34 the sale thereof shall be displayed in any part of any
35 premises where it can readily be seen from the outside.

36 The fee for issuing said license shall be \$.....
37 which fee shall be paid into the (..... Treasury).

1 Sec. 12. The sheriff of a county may grant a license to
2 residents of his county only, on forms prescribed by the
3 Secretary of State, for the private sale or transfer of
4 a pistol by one person to another. No person shall sell
5 or otherwise transfer a pistol to a person not personally

6 known to him. The fee for issuing said license shall be
7 \$....., which fee shall be paid into the (.....
8 Treasury).

1 Sec. 13. No person shall sell or give away a pistol
2 to another person unless the purchaser or donee has de-
3 livered to the seller or donor, at least forty-eight hours
4 prior to the time of the transfer of the pistol, a state-
5 ment signed in triplicate containing his full name, address,
6 occupation, color, place of birth, the date and hour the
7 statement is delivered; the calibre, make, model and
8 manufacturer's number of the pistol to be received and a
9 statement that he has never been convicted in this state or
10 elsewhere of a crime of violence. The seller or donor
11 shall, within six hours after receipt of said statements,
12 sign and attach his address and forward by registered mail
13 one copy of such statement to the sheriff of the county of
14 which the seller or donor is a resident; the duplicate duly
15 signed by the seller or donor shall, within seven days, be
16 sent by him with his address to the Secretary of State; the
17 triplicate he shall retain for six years. This section
18 shall not apply to sale at wholesale.

1 Sec. 14. No person shall make any loan secured by a
2 mortgage, deposit, or pledge of a pistol.

1 Sec. 15. No person shall, in purchasing or otherwise
2 securing delivery of a pistol or in applying for a license
3 to carry the same give false information or offer false

4 evidence of his identity.

1 Sec. 16. No person shall change, alter, remove, or
2 obliterate the name of the maker, model, manufacturer's
3 number, or other mark of identification on any pistol.
4 Possession of any pistol upon which any such mark shall have
5 been changed, altered, removed, or obliterated, shall be
6 prima facie evidence that the possessor has changed, altered,
7 removed or obliterated the same.

1 Sec. 17. It shall be unlawful for any person, except
2 peace officers and employees of this state and of the United
3 States, to go armed with and have concealed upon his person
4 a dirk, dagger, sword, stiletto, metallic knuckles, pocket
5 billy, sandbag, skull cracker, sling shot, or other offensive
6 and dangerous weapons or instruments concealed upon his
7 person; and no person under fourteen years of age shall be
8 allowed to carry firearms of any description.

1 Sec. 18. It shall be unlawful to sell, to keep for sale,
2 loan, give away, pocket billy, dirk, dagger, stiletto,
3 metallic knuckles, sandbag, or skull cracker. The provisions
4 of this section shall not prevent the selling or keeping for
5 sale of hunting and fishing knives.

1 Sec. 19. No person shall use, sell, offer for sale, or
2 keep for sale within this state any toy pistols, toy
3 revolvers, caps containing dynamite, blank cartridges for
4 toy revolvers or toy pistols, or firecrackers more than five
5 inches in length and more than three-fourths of an inch in

6 diameter; provided caps containing dynamite may be used,
7 kept for sale, or sold when needed for mining purposes, or
8 for danger signals, or for other necessary uses.

1 Sec. 20. This act shall not apply to antique pistols
2 unsuitable for use as firearms and possessed as curiosities
3 or ornaments.

1 Sec. 21. Any violation of any provision of this act
2 constitutes an offense punishable by (a fine of not more
3 than (\$.....) or imprisonment for not more than (.....)
4 or both, or by imprisonment in the penitentiary for not less
5 than (.....), nor more than (.....).

1 Sec. 22. If any part of this act is for any reason
2 declared void, such invalidity shall not affect the validity
3 of the remaining portions of this act.

1 Sec. 23. This act may be cited as the "Uniform Firearms
2 Act."

1 Sec. 24. This act shall be so interpreted and construed
2 as to effectuate its general purposes to make uniform the
3 law of those states which enact it.