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April 16, 2018

The Honorable Paul Pate  
Secretary of State of Iowa  
State Capitol Building  
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

Senate File 2321, an Act relating to persons going armed with portable devices or weapons that direct an electronic current, and providing penalties.

The above Senate File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kim Reynolds".

Kim Reynolds  
Governor

cc: Secretary of the Senate  
Clerk of the House



Senate File 2321

AN ACT

RELATING TO PERSONS GOING ARMED WITH PORTABLE DEVICES OR WEAPONS  
THAT DIRECT AN ELECTRONIC CURRENT, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

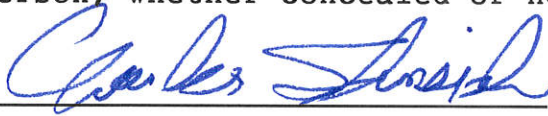
Section 1. Section 724.4, subsection 4, Code 2018, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. 1. A person who is eighteen years of age or older who goes armed with a dangerous weapon that directs an electric current, impulse, wave, or beam that produces a high-voltage pulse designed to immobilize a person, as long as such a dangerous weapon does not generate a projectile that directs an electric current, impulse, wave, or beam that produces a high-voltage pulse designed to immobilize a person, and such a dangerous weapon is not used in the commission of a public offense.

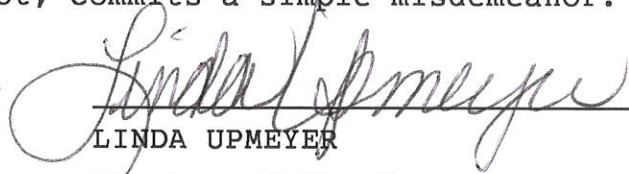
Sec. 2. Section 724.4, Code 2018, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 5. A minor who goes armed with a dangerous weapon that directs an electric current, impulse, wave, or beam

that produces a high-voltage pulse designed to immobilize a person, whether concealed or not, commits a simple misdemeanor.

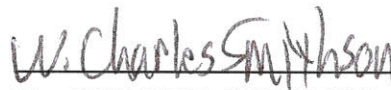


CHARLES SCHNEIDER  
President of the Senate



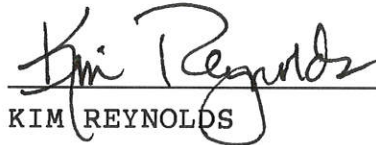
LINDA UPMEYER  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2321, Eighty-seventh General Assembly.



W. CHARLES SMITHSON  
Secretary of the Senate

Approved April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018



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Governor