

SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 4971

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled  
"The code of criminal procedure,"  
by amending section 19 of chapter XVI (MCL 776.19).

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

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CHAPTER XVI

Sec. 19. **(1)** The board of ~~supervisors~~**COMMISSIONERS OF A**  
**COUNTY** is ~~hereby~~ authorized to offer and pay out of the general  
fund of the county not ~~to exceed 2,000 dollars~~**MORE THAN \$20,000.00**  
as a reward for the arrest and conviction, or for information  
leading to the arrest and conviction, of any person or persons  
having committed a crime within the county or having escaped from  
any penal institution ~~therein: Provided, That the~~**WITHIN THE**  
**COUNTY.**

**(2) THE** powers granted ~~hereby~~**IN THIS SECTION** may be exercised

1 by the finance committee of the board of ~~supervisors~~**COMMISSIONERS**  
2 **OF A COUNTY** when ~~said~~**THE** board of ~~supervisors~~**COMMISSIONERS OF THE**  
3 **COUNTY** is not in session **UPON THE REQUEST OF A REWARD BY THE**  
4 **SHERIFF OR THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY.**

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