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Senate Bill 973 (as reported without amendment)  
Sponsor: Senator Bill Bullard, Jr.  
Committee: Hunting, Fishing and Forestry

### **CONTENT**

The bill would amend the handgun licensure Act to replace the Director of the Department of State Police as a member of the county's concealed weapon licensing board, with an individual, appointed by the county board of commissioners, county executive, or county manager, who was not a member of a law enforcement agency and who was regularly engaged in teaching pistol safety and training programs or classes. The individual would be appointed for a two-year term and would have to serve until a successor was appointed.

Under current law, the prosecuting attorney, the sheriff, and the Director of the Department of State Police, or their authorized deputies, must constitute a board to issue a concealed weapon license to applicants in their county.

MCL 28.426

Legislative Analyst: N. Nagata

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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