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§ 130.01 LARCENY.

No person shall commit the offense of larceny by stealing of the property of another, any money, goods or chattels, or any bank note, bank bill, bonds, promissory note, due bill, bill of exchange, or other bill, draft, order or certificate, or any book of accounts for or concerning money or goods due or to become due or to be delivered, or any deed or writing containing a conveyance of land, or any other valuable contract in force, or any receipt, release of defeasance or any writ, process, or public record of the value of \$200 or less.

(Ord. 156, passed 10-9-84) Penalty, see § 10.99

§ 130.02 RETAIL FRAUD.

(A) *Purpose.* The purpose of this section is to provide for the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the township, by providing an ordinance which will help store owners in the township be able to prosecute for thefts and larceny-type offenses that occur in their place of business.

(B) *Retail fraud.* Any person who does any of the following in a store or in its immediate vicinity is guilty of retail fraud.

(1) While a store is open to the public: alters, transfers, removes and replaces, conceals, or otherwise misrepresents the price at which property is offered for sale, with the intent not to pay for the property or to pay less than the price at which the property is offered for sale at the value of \$200 or less.

(2) While a store is open to the public, steals property of the store at the value of \$200 or less that is offered for sale.

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(3) With intent to defraud, obtains or attempts to obtain money or property from the store as a refund or exchange for property that was not paid for and belongs to the store at the value of \$200 or less.

(Ord. 175, passed 12-13-88) Penalty, see § 10.99