

# HB1111



## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/17/2021, by Rep. Emanuel Chris Welch

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/19-2

from Ch. 38, par. 19-2

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Makes a technical change in a Section that prohibits the possession of burglary tools.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by  
5 changing Section 19-2 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/19-2) (from Ch. 38, par. 19-2)

7 Sec. 19-2. Possession of burglary tools.

8 (a) A person commits possession of burglary tools when he  
9 or she possesses any key, tool, instrument, device, or any  
10 explosive, suitable for use in breaking into a building,  
11 housetrailer, watercraft, aircraft, motor vehicle, railroad  
12 car, or any depository designed for the ~~the~~ safekeeping of  
13 property, or any part thereof, with intent to enter that place  
14 and with intent to commit therein a felony or theft. The trier  
15 of fact may infer from the possession of a key designed for  
16 lock bumping an intent to commit a felony or theft; however,  
17 this inference does not apply to any peace officer or other  
18 employee of a law enforcement agency, or to any person or  
19 agency licensed under the Private Detective, Private Alarm,  
20 Private Security, Fingerprint Vendor, and Locksmith Act of  
21 2004. For the purposes of this Section, "lock bumping" means a  
22 lock picking technique for opening a pin tumbler lock using a  
23 specially-crafted bumpkey.

1 (b) Sentence.

2 Possession of burglary tools is a Class 4 felony.

3 (Source: P.A. 97-1108, eff. 1-1-13.)