

1 object containing a noxious liquid, gas or substance; *or*
2 ~~(4) any pistol, revolver or other firearm concealed on one's person~~
3 ~~except when on the person's land or in the person's abode or fixed place of~~
4 ~~business; or~~

5 ~~(5) a shotgun with a barrel less than 18 inches in length or any other~~
6 ~~firearm designed to discharge or capable of discharging automatically~~
7 ~~more than once by a single function of the trigger whether the person~~
8 ~~knows or has reason to know the length of the barrel or that the firearm is~~
9 ~~designed or capable of discharging automatically.~~

10 ~~(b) Criminal carrying of a weapon as defined in:~~

11 ~~(1) Subsections (a)(1), (a)(2); or (a)(3) or (a)(4) is a class A~~
12 ~~nonperson misdemeanor; and~~

13 ~~(2) subsection (a)(5) (a)(4) is a severity level 9, nonperson felony.~~

14 ~~(c) Subsection (a) shall not apply to:~~

15 ~~(1) Law enforcement officers, or any person summoned by any such~~
16 ~~officers to assist in making arrests or preserving the peace while actually~~
17 ~~engaged in assisting such officer;~~

18 ~~(2) wardens, superintendents, directors, security personnel and~~
19 ~~keepers of prisons, penitentiaries, jails and other institutions for the~~
20 ~~detention of persons accused or convicted of crime, while acting within the~~
21 ~~scope of their authority;~~

22 ~~(3) members of the armed services or reserve forces of the United~~
23 ~~States or the Kansas national guard while in the performance of their~~
24 ~~official duty; or~~

25 ~~(4) the manufacture of, transportation to, or sale of weapons to a~~
26 ~~person authorized under subsections (c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(3) to possess~~
27 ~~such weapons.~~

28 ~~(d) Subsection (a)(4) shall not apply to:~~

29 ~~(1) Watchmen, while actually engaged in the performance of the~~
30 ~~duties of their employment;~~

31 ~~(2) licensed hunters or fishermen, while engaged in hunting or~~
32 ~~fishing;~~

33 ~~(3) private detectives licensed by the state to carry the firearm~~
34 ~~involved, while actually engaged in the duties of their employment;~~

35 ~~(4) detectives or special agents regularly employed by railroad~~
36 ~~companies or other corporations to perform full-time security or~~
37 ~~investigative service, while actually engaged in the duties of their~~
38 ~~employment;~~

39 ~~(5) the state fire marshal, the state fire marshal's deputies or any~~
40 ~~member of a fire department authorized to carry a firearm pursuant to~~
41 ~~K.S.A. 31-157, and amendments thereto, while engaged in an investigation~~
42 ~~in which such fire marshal, deputy or member is authorized to carry a~~
43 ~~firearm pursuant to K.S.A. 31-157, and amendments thereto;~~

any pistol, revolver or other firearm concealed on one's person if such person is under 21 years of age, except when on such person's land or in such person's abode or fixed place of business; or
(5)