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H 200. SLAYER/FORFEITURE OF PROP. RIGHTS (=S 176). *TO AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO THE FORFEITURE OF PROPERTY RIGHTS BY SLAYERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION.* Identical to S 176, introduced 3/1/99.

Intro. by Culpepper.

Ref. to Judiciary IV

GS 31A

March 15, 1999

H 200. SLAYER/FORFEITURE OF PROP. RIGHTS. Intro. 3/02/99. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Amends GS 31A-4 to provide: (1) Where decedent dies intestate and slayer has living issue who would have been entitled to property if slayer had predeceased decedent, property is distributed to such issue per stirpes. If slayer has no issue who would otherwise qualify, property is distributed as if the slayer had predeceased decedent (was, property distributed as if slayer had renounced interest). (2) Where decedent dies testate as to property that would have passed to the slayer under the will, the property passes under lapse statute as if slayer predeceased decedent (was, passed under the renunciation statute).