

April 5, 1999

H 908. ROBBERY WITH CHEMICAL AGENT. TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF ROBBERY WITH A CHEMICAL AGENT. Adds new GS 14-87.2 creating a Class E felony (unless another law provides for greater punishment) of (1) displaying, using, or possessing and threatening to use a dangerous chemical at the time of committing a robbery or (2) aiding or abetting another person in the commission of that offense. Defines "dangerous chemical" as any chemical agent that causes incapacitation by impairment to vision or respiration, or that acts as a skin irritant, including mace, tear gas, and pepper spray. Effective December 1, 1999, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.

Intro. by Gillespie.

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