April 13, 2005

H 1209. AGGRAVATE PENALTY/PREDATORY SEX OFFENDERS. TO AGGRAVATE THE PENALTY FOR PERSONS WHO COMMIT MULTIPLE SEX OFFENSES. Enacts new GS 14-27.6A to define a habitual sex offender as anyone who is convicted of a reportable conviction (as set forth in GS 14-208.6(4) and defined in GS 14-208.6), a violation of GS 14-190.9 (indecent exposure), an offense under GS 14-202 (secretly peeping into a room occupied by another person), or a violation of GS 14-27.5A (sexual battery) and has two or more convictions for any one of the preceding offenses. Provides that a habitual sexual offense is a Class F felony and that a habitual sexual offender is a recidivist subject to registration under GS Chapter 14, Article 27A. Amends GS 14-208.6(2b) to include in the definition of "recidivist" a person with a conviction under proposed new GS 14-27.6A. Effective December 1, 2005, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.

Intro. by Goodwin, Sauls, Brubaker.

Ref. to Judiciary I

GS 14

May 25, 2005

H 1209. SEXUAL BATTERY/SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY/DNA (NEW). Intro. 4/13/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. (1) Completely rewrites 1st edition as an act *TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION PROGRAM TO INCLUDE SEXUAL BATTERY AS A REPORTABLE OFFENSE, AND ADD SEXUAL BATTERY TO THE OFFENSES REQUIRING A DNA SAMPLE.* (2) Amends GS 14-208.6(5) to add sexual battery under GS 14-27.5A to the list of offenses that qualify as sexually violent such that they must be reported under the sex offender registration program. (3) Amends GS 15A-266.4(b) to add GS 14-27.5A to the list of offenses for which a convicted offender must provide a DNA sample. (4) Makes act effective December 1, 2005, applicable to offenses committed on or after that date, but deletes provision providing that prosecutions for offenses committed before the act's effective date are not abated or affected.

June 30, 2005

SL 2005-130 (H 1209). SEXUAL BATTERY/SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY/DNA. AN ACT TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION PROGRAM TO INCLUDE SEXUAL BATTERY AS A REPORTABLE OFFENSE, AND ADD SEXUAL BATTERY TO THE OFFENSES REQUIRING A DNA SAMPLE. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 5/25/05. Enacted June 29, 2005. Effective December 1, 2005.