April 21, 2005

H 1436. DEATH PENALTY/ADD AGGRAVATING FACTOR. TO ADD TO THE LIST OF AGGRAVATING FACTORS FOR A CAPITAL OFFENSE THAT THE FELONY WAS COMMITTED IN VIOLATION OF A VALID PROTECTIVE ORDER. Enacts new GS 15A-2000(e)(12) as title indicates. Effective December 1, 2005; applies to offenses committed on or after that date.

Intro. by Johnson.

Ref. to Judiciary III

GS 15A

May 26, 2005

H 1436. DEATH PENALTY/ADD AGGRAVATING FACTOR. Intro. 4/21/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Changes title to AN ACT TO DIRECT THE SENTENCING COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING EVIDENCE THAT A MURDER WAS COMMITTED IN VIOLATION OF A VALID DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDER AS AN AGGRAVATING FACTOR IN CAPITAL SENTENCING. Previous version amended GS 15A-2000(e) to add commission of a felony in violation of a valid protective order to list of aggravating factors. Current version directs Sentencing and Policy Advisory Commission to examine whether law should be so amended and to report findings and recommendations to General Assembly by May 1, 2006.

August 23, 2005

SL 2005-295 (H 1436). DEATH PENALTY/ADD AGGRAVATING FACTOR. AN ACT TO DIRECT THE SENTENCING COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING EVIDENCE THAT A MURDER WAS COMMITTED IN VIOLATION OF A VALID DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDER AS AN AGGRAVATING FACTOR IN CAPITAL SENTENCING. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 4/21/05 and 5/26/05. Enacted August 22, 2005. Effective August 22, 2005.