March 28, 2005

H 935. CONSTRUCTION SITE THEFT/AGGRAVATE PENALTY (=S 532). TO MAKE LARCENY FROM A CONSTRUCTION SITE A FELONY. Identical to S 532, introduced 3/15/05.

Intro. by Goforth, Harrell.

Ref. to Judiciary II

**GS 14** 

May 9, 2005

H 935. EXPAND FELONY FOR CONSTRUCTION SITE THEFT (NEW). Intro. 3/28/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Changes title to AN ACT TO MAKE LARCENY OF GOODS VALUED AT MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS FROM A PERMITTED CONSTRUCTION SITE A CLASS H FELONY AND TO MAKE RECEIVING OR POSSESSING STOLEN GOODS VALUED AT MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS THAT WERE STOLEN FROM A PERMITTED CONSTRUCTION SITE A CLASS H FELONY. Makes changes indicated by title (original bill, larceny of goods valued at more than \$1,000 was Class H felony; larceny of goods valued at no more than \$1,000 was Class 1 misdemeanor). Makes stylistic changes, reorganizing substance of bill to add new GS 14-72.6 and deleting amendments to GS 14-72. Deletes proposed provision that would have made it a Class H felony to possess stolen goods regardless of their value knowing or having reasonable grounds to believe that the goods were stolen by a type of larceny set forth in GS 14-72(b) (e.g., by using explosives or by using a firearm). Removes proposed provision that would have directed the jury to fix the value of the stolen property in the verdict.