

March 10, 2005

S 472. CHILD EXPLOITATION PREVENTION ACT. TO PROTECT CHILDREN FROM SEXUAL PREDATORS BY ALSO MAKING IT A FELONY CRIMINAL OFFENSE TO SOLICIT A PERSON THE PERPETRATOR BELIEVES TO BE A CHILD TO COMMIT UNLAWFUL SEX ACTS.

Amends GS 14-202.3, which makes it a Class I felony to use a computer to set up a meeting with a child under 16 for the purpose of committing an unlawful sex act, to make that crime applicable to solicitations of persons 16 or older if the offender believes the person being solicited is underage. Specifies that consent is not a defense. Effective December 1, 2005, for offenses committed on and after that date.

Intro. by Thomas.

Ref. to Judiciary II

GS 14

March 30, 2005

S 472. CHILD EXPLOITATION PREVENTION ACT. Intro. 3/10/05. Senate amendment makes the following changes to 1st edition. Makes technical changes only.

April 5, 2005

S 472. CHILD EXPLOITATION PREVENTION ACT. Intro. 3/10/05. Senate amendment makes the following changes to 1st edition. Amends GS 14-208.6(b) to add GS 14-202.3 (solicitation of child by computer to commit an unlawful sex act) to the definition of "sexually violent offense." Those who commit sexually violent offenses are required to register under Article 27A of GS Chapter 14.

May 31, 2005

S 472. CHILD EXPLOITATION PREVENTION ACT. Intro. 3/10/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Enacts new GS 114-15(b1) to authorize the State Bureau of Investigation to investigate certain crimes committed by use of a computer. Conforms title of bill.

June 30, 2005

SL 2005-121 (S 472). CHILD EXPLOITATION PREVENTION ACT. AN ACT TO PROTECT CHILDREN FROM SEXUAL PREDATORS BY ALSO MAKING IT A FELONY CRIMINAL OFFENSE TO SOLICIT A PERSON THE PERPETRATOR BELIEVES TO BE A CHILD TO COMMIT UNLAWFUL SEX ACTS, TO REQUIRE PERSONS CONVICTED OF THIS OFFENSE TO REGISTER AS SEX OFFENDERS, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TO INVESTIGATE CERTAIN CRIMES COMMITTED BY USE OF A COMPUTER. Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 3/10/05, 3/30/05, 4/5/05, and 5/31/05. Enacted June 29, 2005. Effective December 1, 2005.