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H 639. MANDATORY JAIL FOR B.A.C. OVER 0.20. Filed 3/13/07. *TO REQUIRE MANDATORY JAIL TIME, IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER PUNISHMENT, FOR ANY PERSON CONVICTED OF DRIVING WHILE IMPAIRED WITH A BLOOD ALCOHOL LEVEL OF 0.20 OR MORE.*

Amends GS 20-179 to require a person convicted of driving while impaired with an alcohol concentration of 0.20 or greater to serve, in addition to other punishment imposed, a minimum 24-hour active jail sentence when punishment is imposed under subsections (g) through (k), or a minimum six-month active sentence when punishment is imposed under (g) or (h). Effective for offenses committed on or after December 1, 2007.

Intro. by Holloway.

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