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S 675. INDECENT LIBERTIES/INCREASE PENALTY. Filed 3/12/07. TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR THE OFFENSE OF TAKING INDECENT LIBERTIES WITH CHILDREN AND FOR THE OFFENSE OF TAKING INDECENT LIBERTIES WITH A STUDENT WHEN THE OFFENDER IS A TEACHER, SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR, OR OTHER SCHOOL PERSONNEL AT LEAST FOUR YEARS OLDER THAN THE VICTIM. Amends GS 14-202.1 to increase the penalty for taking indecent liberties with children from a Class F felony to a Class E felony. Amends GS 14-202.4 to increase the penalty for taking indecent liberties with a child when the defendant is a teacher, school administrator, student teacher, school safety officer, or coach that is at least four years older than the victim, from a Class I felony to a Class G felony. Effective for offenses committed on or after December 1, 2007. Intro. by Hunt. GS 14