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SENATE BILL 130

Short Title: Amend Statutory Rape Law.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Allran.

Referred to: Corrections/Punishment.

February 15, 1994

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO ENGAGE IN VAGINAL
3 INTERCOURSE OR OTHER SEXUAL ACTS WITH A CHILD UNDER
4 SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 Section 1. G.S. 14-27.2(a) reads as rewritten:

7 "(a) A person is guilty of rape in the first degree if the person engages in vaginal
8 intercourse:

9 (1) With a victim who is a child under the age of ~~13~~16 years and the
10 defendant is at least 12 years old and is at least ~~four~~five years older
11 than the victim; or

12 (2) With another person by force and against the will of the other person,
13 and:

14 a. Employs or displays a dangerous or deadly weapon or an article
15 which the other person reasonably believes to be a dangerous or
16 deadly weapon; or

17 b. Inflicts serious personal injury upon the victim or another
18 person; or

19 c. The person commits the offense aided and abetted by one or
20 more other persons."

21 Sec. 2. G.S. 14-27.4(a) reads as rewritten:

22 "(a) A person is guilty of a sexual offense in the first degree if the person engages
23 in a sexual act:

- 1 (1) With a victim who is a child under the age of ~~13~~16 years and the
2 defendant is at least 12 years old and is at least ~~four~~five years older
3 than the victim; or
4 (2) With another person by force and against the will of the other person,
5 and:
6 a. Employs or displays a dangerous or deadly weapon or an article
7 which the other person reasonably believes to be a dangerous or
8 deadly weapon; or
9 b. Inflicts serious personal injury upon the victim or another
10 person; or
11 c. The person commits the offense aided and abetted by one or
12 more other persons."

13 Sec. 3. This act becomes effective July 1, 1994, and applies to offenses
14 committed on or after that date.