

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

SESSION 1991

H

1

HOUSE BILL 1041

Short Title: Assist in Suicide/Felony.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Decker; Brawley, Brown, Buchanan, Culp, Gardner, Hege, Isenhower, Kimsey, Ligon, and Privette.

Referred to: Judiciary II.

April 22, 1991

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO ASSIST A PERSON IN COMMITTING
SUICIDE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. Article 6 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes is amended by adding a new section to read:

"§ 14-17.2. Assisting another to commit suicide.

Any person who knowingly assists another person to commit suicide is guilty of a Class H felony.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective October 1, 1991, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.