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H 38. FELONY/STRIKE LAW OFFICER. TO MAKE IT A FELONY TO ASSAULT A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER. Adds new GS 14-34.8 to make assault on a law enforcement officer a Class I felony if the assault occurs while the officer is engaging in his or her official duties.

(Assault on a law enforcement officer is a Class F felony if the assault occurs while the officer is engaging in his or her official duties and the assault inflicts serious injury.) Effective Dec. 1, 1999; applies to offenses committed on or after that date.

Intro. by Dedmon.

Ref. to Rules

GS 14