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S 2067. EVEN OUT PRIOR CRIMINAL RECORD POINT RANGES. Filed 5/27/08. *TO RESTRUCTURE THE PRIOR RECORD LEVEL POINT RANGES IN ORDER TO EXPAND THE POINTS IN PRIOR RECORD LEVEL I AND TO EVEN OUT THE REMAINING RANGES.*

Amends GS 15A-1340.14(c) to modify the points allocated to prior record levels for felony sentencing. Increases the points for Level I from 0 points to not more than 1 point; for Level II from 1-4 points to 2-5 points; for Level III from 5-8 points to 6-9 points; for Level IV from 9-14 points to 10-13 points; for Level V from 15-18 points to 14-17 points; and for Level VI, from 19 points or more to 18 points or more. Makes conforming changes to the punishment chart included in GS 15A-1340.17(c). Changes apply to offenses committed on or after December 1, 2008.

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