Bill No. CS/CS/HB 113, 2nd Eng.

Amendment No. ____

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Senator Webster moved the following substitute for amendment
(821620):
Senate Amendment (with title amendment)
On page 13, between lines 22 and 23,
insert:
(4) For purposes of imposition of minimum mandatory
sentencing provisions of this section, with respect to a
firearm, the term "possession" is defined as carrying it on
the person. Possession may also be proven by demonstrating
that the defendant had the firearm within immediate physical
reach with ready access with the intent to use the firearm
during the commission of the offense, if proven beyond a
reasonable doubt.
(5) In every case in which a law enforcement agency
based a criminal charge on facts demonstrating that the
defendant met the criteria in s. 775.087(2)(a)1., 2. and 3. or
s. 775.087(3)(a)1., 2., and 3. and in which the defendant did
not receive the mandatory penalty, the state attorney must
place in the court file a memorandum explaining why the
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1	minimum mandatory penalty was not imposed.
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4	========= T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =========
5	And the title is amended as follows:
6	On page 4, line 19, after the semicolon
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8	and insert:
9	providing for application of the definition of
10	the term "possession"; requiring the state
11	attorney to place in court files certain
12	memoranda;
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