

HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

BILL: CS/CS HB 113 -- 2nd Eng. (CS/SB 194)
SPONSOR: Corrections and Crime & Punishment Committees, Rep. Crist, and others (Criminal Justice Committee, Senator Webster, and others)
SUBJECT: Punishment of Felons
PREPARED BY: Senate Committee on Criminal Justice
DATE: March 16, 1999

I. Amendments Contained in Message

House Amendment 1 -- 060559 (body) to **Senate Amendment 7 -- 555720** (body w/ title)
Senate Amendment 2 -- 821620 (body with title)

II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message

HOUSE AMENDED SENATE AMENDMENT 7 AND CONCURRED IN SAME AS AMENDED

House Amendment 1 to Senate Amendment 7 is technical in nature. It inserts the term "Personnel" to replace "Officer" to include enlisted persons as well as officers of the military. The House Amendment to Senator Gutman's amendment also inserts "place of 'assignment'" in addition to "place of 'employment'" to better accommodate the terminology of the military (ie. They are "assigned" to posts.).

HOUSE REFUSES TO CONCUR AND REQUESTS THE SENATE TO RECEDE FROM SENATE AMENDMENT 2

Senate Amendment 2 provides a definition of "possession" of a firearm for purposes of imposing a minimum mandatory sentence pursuant to s. 775.087, F.S.