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HOUSE BILL NO. 2356

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*A BILL to amend Chapter 8 of Title 17.1 of the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 17.1-807, relating to modification of sentencing guidelines for methamphetamine.*

Patron—Weatherholtz

Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice

**Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

**1. That Chapter 8 of Title 17.1 of the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 17.1-807 as follows:**

*§ 17.1-807. Modification of sentencing guidelines for methamphetamine.*

*For any conviction under Article 1 (§ 18.2-247 et seq.) of Chapter 7 of Title 18.2 involving any substance that contains any quantity of methamphetamine, including its salts, isomers, and salts of isomers, the discretionary sentencing guidelines applicable to cocaine shall be used.*

**2. That the provisions of this act may result in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state correctional facilities. Pursuant to § 30-19.1:4, the estimated amount of the necessary appropriation is \$221,550**

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