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HOUSE BILL NO. 1359 with Conference Committee Amendments HOUSE BILL NO. 1359

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Representative Mickelson

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 19-03.1-23 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to drug offenses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

- SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 4 of section 19-03.1-23 of the 1995

 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:
 - 4. A person at least twenty-one eighteen years of age who solicits, induces, intimidates, employs, hires, or uses a person under eighteen years of age to unlawfully transport, carry, sell, give away, prepare for sale, or peddle aid or assist in the manufacture, delivery, or possession with intent to manufacture or deliver a controlled substance for the purpose of receiving consideration or payment for the manufacture or delivery of any controlled substance except marijuana is guilty of a class B felony and must be sentenced:
 - a. For the first offense, to imprisonment for at least four years.
 - b. For a second or subsequent offense, to imprisonment for at least five years.
 - c. It is not a defense to a violation of this subsection that the defendant did not know the age of a person protected under this subsection.

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