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A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To amend section 16-801 of the District of Columbia Official Code to expand the definition of an eligible felony.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Criminal Record Sealing Amendment Act of 2016”.

Sec. 2. Section 16–801(6) of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended to read as follows:

- “(6) “Eligible Felony” means:
  - “(A) Failure to appear (§ 23-1327);
  - “(B) Theft (§ 2232-12); and
  - “(C) Felony possession (§ 48-904.01).

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report as the fiscal impact statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975, approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

36           This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the  
37 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 60-day period of congressional review as  
38 provided in section 602(c)(2) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December  
39 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(2)), and publication in the District of  
40 Columbia Register.