Second Regular Session of the 119th General Assembly (2016)

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HOUSE ENROLLED ACT No. 1235

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 35-50-2-2.2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.168-2014, SECTION 112, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 2.2. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), or (c), or (d), the court may suspend any part of a sentence for a felony.

- (b) If a person is convicted of a Level 2 felony or a Level 3 felony, except a Level 2 felony or a Level 3 felony concerning a controlled substance under IC 35-48-4, and has any prior unrelated felony conviction, the court may suspend only that part of a sentence that is in excess of the minimum sentence for the:
 - (1) Level 2 felony; or
 - (2) Level 3 felony.
 - (c) If:
 - (1) a person has a prior unrelated felony conviction in any jurisdiction for dealing in a controlled substance that is not marijuana, hashish, hash oil, salvia divinorum, or a synthetic drug, including an attempt or conspiracy to commit the offense; and
 - (2) the person is convicted of a Level 2 felony under:
 - (A) IC 35-48-4-1 and the offense involves the:
 - (i) manufacture;



- (ii) delivery; or
- (iii) financing of the manufacture or delivery; of heroin; or
 - (B) IC 35-48-4-1.1;

the court may suspend only that part of a sentence that is in excess of the minimum sentence for the Level 2 felony.

(c) (d) The court may suspend only that part of a sentence for murder or a Level 1 felony conviction that is in excess of the minimum sentence for murder or the Level 1 felony conviction.



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