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## SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 190

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 35-41-2-6 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 6. (a) This section applies to an offense with a penalty that may be enhanced due to the value of the property involved in the offense.** 

- (b) Offenses that are committed in a thirty (30) day period may be charged in a single count. The value of property involved in offenses:
  - (1) committed in a thirty (30) day period; and
- (2) charged in a single count; may be aggregated.

SECTION 2. IC 35-43-4-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.152-2014, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 2. (a) A person who knowingly or intentionally exerts unauthorized control over property of another person, with intent to deprive the other person of any part of its value or use, commits

- (1) a Level 6 felony if:
  - (A) the value of the property is at least seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750) and less than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000);
  - (B) the property is a firearm; or

theft, a Class A misdemeanor. However, the offense is:

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- (C) the person has a prior unrelated conviction for:
  - (i) theft under this section; or
- (ii) criminal conversion under section 3 of this chapter; and (2) a Level 5 felony if:
  - (A) the value of the property is at least fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000); or
  - (B) the property that is the subject of the theft is a valuable metal (as defined in IC 25-37.5-1-1) and:
    - (i) relates to transportation safety;
    - (ii) relates to public safety; or
    - (iii) is taken from a hospital or other health care facility, telecommunications provider, public utility (as defined in IC 32-24-1-5.9(a)), or key facility;

and the absence of the property creates a substantial risk of bodily injury to a person.

- (b) In determining the value of property under this section, acts of theft committed in a single episode of criminal conduct (as defined in IC 35-50-1-2(b)) may be charged in a single count.
  - (c) (b) For purposes of this section, "the value of property" means:
    - (1) the fair market value of the property at the time and place the offense was committed; or
    - (2) if the fair market value of the property cannot be satisfactorily determined, the cost to replace the property within a reasonable time after the offense was committed.

A price tag or price marking on property displayed or offered for sale constitutes prima facie evidence of the value of the property.



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