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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. **2449**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to crime; expanding number of crimes constituting crimes of violence;
1.3 amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 624.712, subdivision 5.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 624.712, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

1.6 Subd. 5. **Crime of violence.** "Crime of violence" means: felony convictions of
1.7 the following offenses: sections 609.165 (possession of firearm by ineligible); 609.185
1.8 (murder in the first degree); 609.19 (murder in the second degree); 609.195 (murder in
1.9 the third degree); 609.20 (manslaughter in the first degree); 609.205 (manslaughter in the
1.10 second degree); 609.215 (aiding suicide and aiding attempted suicide); 609.221 (assault
1.11 in the first degree); 609.222 (assault in the second degree); 609.223 (assault in the third
1.12 degree); 609.2231 (assault in the fourth degree); 609.2242 (domestic assault); 609.2247
1.13 (domestic assault by strangulation); 609.228 (great bodily harm caused by distribution
1.14 of drugs); 609.229 (crimes committed for the benefit of a gang); 609.2325 (criminal
1.15 abuse); 609.235 (use of drugs to injure or facilitate crime); 609.24 (simple robbery);
1.16 609.245 (aggravated robbery); 609.25 (kidnapping); 609.255 (false imprisonment);
1.17 609.2661 (murder of unborn child in the first degree); 609.2662 (murder of unborn child
1.18 in the second degree); 609.2663 (murder of unborn child in the third degree); 609.2664
1.19 (manslaughter of unborn child in the first degree); 609.2665 (manslaughter of unborn
1.20 child in the second degree); 609.267 (assault of unborn child in the first degree); 609.2671
1.21 (assault of unborn child in the second degree); 609.2672 (assault of unborn child in the
1.22 third degree); 609.268 (injury or death of unborn child in commission of crime); 609.282
1.23 (labor trafficking); 609.283 (unlawful conduct with respect to documents in furtherance of
1.24 labor or sex trafficking); 609.322 (solicitation, inducement, and promotion of prostitution;

2.1 sex trafficking); 609.342 (criminal sexual conduct in the first degree); 609.343 (criminal
2.2 sexual conduct in the second degree); 609.344 (criminal sexual conduct in the third
2.3 degree); 609.345 (criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree); 609.3451 (criminal
2.4 sexual conduct in the fifth degree); 609.3453 (criminal sexual predatory conduct); 609.352
2.5 (solicitation of children to engage in sexual conduct); 609.377 (malicious punishment
2.6 of a child); 609.378 (neglect or endangerment of a child); 609.486 (commission of
2.7 crime while wearing or possessing a bullet-resistant vest); 609.487, subdivision 4
2.8 (fleeing peace officer, motor vehicle, other); 609.52 (involving theft of a firearm, theft
2.9 involving the intentional taking or driving of a motor vehicle without the consent of
2.10 the owner or authorized agent of the owner, theft involving the taking of property from
2.11 a burning, abandoned, or vacant building, or from an area of destruction caused by
2.12 civil disaster, riot, bombing, or the proximity of battle, and theft involving the theft of
2.13 a controlled substance, an explosive, or an incendiary device); 609.561 (arson in the
2.14 first degree); 609.562 (arson in the second degree); 609.5641 (wildfire arson); 609.582,
2.15 subdivision 1, 2, or 3 (burglary in the first through third degrees); 609.596, subdivision
2.16 1 (killing or harming public safety dog); 609.66, subdivision 1a, clause (2) (intentional
2.17 discharge of firearm in school or public housing zone); 609.66, subdivision 1a, clause (3)
2.18 (reckless discharge of a firearm in school or public housing zone); 609.66, subdivision
2.19 1c (furnishing dangerous weapon); 609.66, subdivision 1e (drive-by shooting); 609.66,
2.20 subdivision 1g (possession of dangerous weapon, ammunition, or explosives in courthouse
2.21 or certain state buildings); 609.668 (possession of explosive or incendiary device by
2.22 certain persons prohibited); 609.67 (unlawfully owning, possessing, operating a machine
2.23 gun or short-barreled shotgun); 609.687 (adulteration); 609.71 (riot); 609.713 (terroristic
2.24 threats); 609.749 (stalking); 609.855, subdivision 5 (shooting at a public transit vehicle
2.25 or facility); 617.23, subdivision 3 (indecent exposure); 617.246 (use of minor in sexual
2.26 performance); 617.247 (possession of pornographic work involving minors); 624.713
2.27 (certain persons not to possess firearms); and chapter 152 (drugs, controlled substances);
2.28 and an attempt to commit any of these offenses.