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HOUSE AMENDMENT " A " to H. P. 2015, L. D. 2556, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Initial Changes in the Penal System of the State and the Rights and Duties of Convicted Persons."

Amend said Bill in the Title by inserting at the end before the period the following:
'and Relating to Penalty for Burglary'

Further amend said Bill by inserting after section 2 the following:

'Sec. 3. R. S., T. 17, § 751, amended.
Section 751 of Title 17 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 404 of the public laws of 1973, is further amended by adding after the 2nd sentence a new sentence to read as follows:

When a person is convicted of a 2nd offense violation of any of the provisions of this section, the imposition or execution of such sentence shall not be suspended and probation shall not be granted.

Sec. 4. R. S., T. 17, § 754, amended.
Section 754 of Title 17 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 404 of the public laws of 1973, is further amended by adding after the first sentence a new sentence to read as follows:

When a person is convicted of a 2nd offense violation of any of the provisions of this section, the imposition or execution of such sentence shall not be suspended and probation shall not be granted.'

Further amend said Bill by renumbering sections 3 to 6 to be sections 5 to 8.

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Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide that anyone convicted of burglary or breaking or entering for a 2nd offense shall be punished by imprisonment for 2 years, which sentence shall not be suspended or probation granted.

Filed by Mr. Farrington of China.

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