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<u>SHB 2600</u> - H AMDS 086 1 By Representatives Carrell, Morris and others 2 3 On page 5, line 34, strike "class C felony" and insert 4 "((class C felony)) gross misdemeanor" 5 On page 5, line 35, after "9A.20.021." insert "A second or б subsequent offense by an owner under this section is a class C 7 felony." On page 6, line 4, strike "class C felony" and insert 8 9 "((class C felony)) gross misdemeanor" On page 6, line 5, after "9A.20.021." insert "<u>A second or</u> 10 subsequent offense by an owner under this section is a class C 11 12 felony."

EFFECT: Reduces two class C felonies associated with the dangerous dog law to gross misdemeanors for a first offense. These crimes involve: (1) A dog that is registered or supposed to be registered as dangerous that attacks or bites a person or a domestic animal; and (2) Any dog that aggressively attacks and causes severe injury or death of any human.