

1 **HB 2507 - H AMD 087 ADOPTED 2-6-96**

2 By Representative Conway

3 On page 5, beginning after line 9, strike all matter through
4 "gross misdemeanor." on line 17 and insert:

5 "(7) A person who knowingly fails to register or who moves
6 without notifying the county sheriff as required by this section is
7 guilty of a class C felony (~~((if the crime for which the individual
8 was convicted was a class A felony or a federal or out of state
9 conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would
10 be a class A felony. If the crime was other than a class A felony
11 or a federal or out of state conviction for an offense that under
12 the laws of this state would be a class A felony, violation of this
13 section is a gross misdemeanor))~~))."

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EFFECT: Provides that failing to register as a sex offender,
or failing to notify the sheriff about an address change, is
always a Class C felony regardless of the nature of the
underlying sex offense. Under current law, a failure to
register or to notify the sheriff can be either a Class C
felony or a gross misdemeanor, depending on whether the
underlying sex offense was a Class A felony.