

House Bill 232

By: Representatives Everett of the 163rd and Dean of the 48th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

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2 To amend Code Section 17-10-6.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
3 punishment for serious violent offenders, so as to provide that the term "serious violent
4 felony" shall include a conviction for trafficking in cocaine; to provide for related matters;
5 to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

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SECTION 1.

9 Code Section 17-10-6.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
10 punishment for serious violent offenders, is amended by striking subsection (a) of said Code
11 section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

12 "(a) As used in this Code section, the term 'serious violent felony' means:

13 (1) Murder or felony murder, as defined in Code Section 16-5-1;

14 (2) Armed robbery, as defined in Code Section 16-8-41;

15 (3) Kidnapping, as defined in Code Section 16-5-40;

16 (4) Rape, as defined in Code Section 16-6-1;

17 (5) Aggravated child molestation, as defined in Code Section 16-6-4;

18 (5.1) Trafficking in cocaine, as defined in subsection (a) of Code Section 16-13-31;

19 (6) Aggravated sodomy, as defined in Code Section 16-6-2; or

20 (7) Aggravated sexual battery, as defined in Code Section 16-6-22.2."

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SECTION 2.

22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.