

House Bill 355

By: Representatives Fleming of the 121<sup>st</sup>, Hitchens of the 161<sup>st</sup>, Tanner of the 9<sup>th</sup>, Pak of the 108<sup>th</sup>, Talton of the 147<sup>th</sup>, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 17-10-30 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the  
2 procedure for imposition of the death penalty, so as to add a statutory aggravating  
3 circumstance; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other  
4 purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 Code Section 17-10-30 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the procedure  
8 for imposition of the death penalty, is amended in subsection (b) by deleting "or" at the end  
9 of paragraph (10), by replacing the period with "; or" at the end of paragraph (11), and by  
10 adding a new paragraph to read as follows:

11 "(12) The offense of murder was committed by a person acting in violation of Chapter  
12 15 of Title 16, the 'Georgia Street Gang Terrorism and Prevention Act.'"

13 **SECTION 2.**

14 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.