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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2578

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend Senate Bill 2578, AS AMENDED,  
3 by replacing all of Sec. 24-1.7 of Section 5 with the  
4 following:

5 "(720 ILCS 5/24-1.7 new)

6 Sec. 24-1.7. Armed habitual criminal.

7 (a) A person commits the offense of being an armed habitual  
8 criminal if he or she receives, sells, possesses, or transfers  
9 any firearm after having been convicted a total of 2 or more  
10 times of any combination of the following offenses:

11 (1) a forcible felony as defined in Section 2-8 of this  
12 Code;

13 (2) unlawful use of a weapon by a felon; aggravated  
14 unlawful use of a weapon; aggravated discharge of a  
15 firearm; vehicular hijacking; aggravated vehicular  
16 hijacking; aggravated battery of a child; intimidation;  
17 aggravated intimidation; gunrunning; home invasion; or  
18 aggravated battery with a firearm; or

19 (3) any violation of the Illinois Controlled  
20 Substances Act or the Cannabis Control Act that is  
21 punishable as a Class 3 felony or higher.

22 (b) Sentence. Being an armed habitual criminal is a Class X  
23 felony."