The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Whitney Kauffeld.

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Present law prohibits a court from waiving the minimum mandatory sentence for certain crimes of violence.

Proposed law prohibits a court from waiving the minimum mandatory sentence for all crimes of violence.

Proposed law provides that a defendant who has a second or subsequent felony offense, when the defendant has a prior crime of violence or current conviction is a crime of violence will serve an additional term of imprisonment for five years consecutive to the second or subsequent felony sentence, if the second or subsequent felony is committed on or after 8/1/22 and there has been less than seven years from the conviction of the prior felony offense.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends C.Cr.P. Art. 890.1(D); adds R.S. 15:529.1(A)(2)(c))