

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# S. 441

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 25 (legislative day, JANUARY 5), 1993

Mr. CAMPBELL introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
 2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCE FOR UNLAW-**  
 4 **FUL POSSESSION OF A FIREARM BY CON-**  
 5 **VICTED FELON, FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE,**  
 6 **ADDICT OR UNLAWFUL USER OF CON-**  
 7 **TROLLED SUBSTANCE, OR TRANSFEROR OR**  
 8 **RECEIVER OF STOLEN FIREARM.**

9 Section 924(a) of title 18, United States Code, is  
 10 amended by inserting “, and in the case of a violation of  
 11 section 922 (g) (1), (2), or (3), (i), or (j) shall be impris-  
 12 oned not less than 5 years” before the period.

13 **SEC. 2. INCREASE IN GENERAL PENALTY FOR VIOLATION**  
 14 **OF FEDERAL FIREARMS LAWS.**

15 Section 924(a)(1) of title 18, United States Code, is  
 16 amended—

17 (1) by striking “\$5,000” and inserting  
 18 “\$10,000”; and

19 (2) by striking “five” and inserting “10”.

20 **SEC. 3. INCREASE IN ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR POSSES-**  
 21 **SION OF FIREARM IN CONNECTION WITH**  
 22 **CRIME OF VIOLENCE OR DRUG TRAFFICKING**  
 23 **CRIME.**

24 Section 924(c)(1) of title 18, United States Code, is  
 25 amended—

1           (1) by striking “five” and inserting “10”; and

2           (2) by striking “twenty” and inserting “30”.

3 **SEC. 4. TECHNICAL CORRECTION.**

4           Section 924(a)(1) of title 18, United States Code, is

5 amended by striking “(2) or (3)” and inserting “(2), (3),

6 or (4)”.

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