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This table summarizes how the latest substitute version of the bill differs from the immediately preceding version. It addresses only the topics on which the two versions differ substantively. It does not list topics on which the two bills are substantively the same.

Previous Version (As Introduced)	Latest Version (I_134_1591-3)
Penalty for "having weapons while under disability"	
Increases the penalty for "having weapons while under disability" as follows (R.C. 2923.13(B)(1) and (2)):	Increases the penalty for "having weapons while under disability" as follows (R.C. 2923.13(B)(1), (2), and (3) and 2929.13(C) and (D)):

1. If the disability upon which the violation is based is that the person acquiring, having, carrying, or using the firearm or dangerous ordnance has been convicted of, or has been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing, a felony offense of violence, the offense is one of the following: (a) except as otherwise described in clause (b), it is a second degree felony, and (b) if the offender one or more times previously has been convicted of, or been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing, "having weapons while under disability" based on any of the specified firearms disabilities, it is a first degree felony.

1. Same provision.

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- 2. If the disability upon which the violation is based is any of the specified firearms disabilities other than the prior conviction or adjudication disability described above in (1), the offense is one of the following: (a) except as otherwise described in clause (b), as under current law, a third degree felony and (b) if the offender one or more times previously has been convicted of, or been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing, "having weapons while under disability" based on any of the specified firearms disabilities, it is a second degree felony.
- 2. If the disability upon which the violation is based is that the person acquiring, having, carrying, or using the firearm or dangerous ordnance is drug dependent, in danger of drug dependence, or a chronic alcoholic, the offense is a third degree felony.

3. If the disability upon which the violation is based is any of the specified firearms disabilities other than the prior conviction or adjudication disability described above in (1) or the drug dependent, in danger of drug dependence, or chronic alcoholic disability described above in (2), the offense is one of the following: (a) except as otherwise described in clause (b) or (c), as under current law, a third degree felony, and the bill specifies that there is no presumption for or against a prison term, (b) if the offender one time previously has been convicted of, or been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing, "having weapons while under disability" based on any of the specified firearms disabilities, it is a third degree felony and there is a presumption that a prison term will be imposed, and (c) if the offender two or more times previously has been convicted of, or been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing, "having weapons while under disability" based on any of the specified firearms disabilities, it is a second degree felony.

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