

S.F. No. 1329 – Increased Penalties for Assaulting Certain First Responders

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S.F. No. 1329 amends the fourth-degree assault crime. Makes physical assaults of fire fighters, EMS personnel, or health workers in hospital emergency room settings a gross misdemeanor. Also increases the statutory maximum for an assault against any of these individuals that results in demonstrable bodily harm from two years imprisonment/\$4k fine to three years imprisonment/\$6k fine.