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AN ACT to amend and reenact §61-3-11 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating
to the crime of burglary; eliminating the offense of daytime burglary; making breaking and
entering or entering without breaking into a dwelling or outbuilding thereof a felony
regardless of time of day; and establishing the criminal penalty for burglary.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 3. CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY.

§61-3-11. Burglary; entry of dwelling or outhouse; penalties.

- (a) Any person who breaks and enters, or enters without breaking, a dwelling house or outbuilding adjoining a dwelling with the intent to commit a violation of the criminal laws of this state is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction thereof, shall be imprisoned in a state correctional facility for not less than one nor more than 15 years.
- (b) The term "dwelling house", as used in §61-3-11(a) of this code, includes, but is not limited to, a mobile home, house trailer, modular home, factory-built home, or self-propelled motor home, used as a dwelling regularly or only from time to time, or any other nonmotorized vehicle primarily designed for human habitation and occupancy and used as a dwelling regularly or only from time to time.

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