

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2021**  
**Proposed H.B. No. 5156**

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**Introducer(s):**

REP. BILL BUCKBEE, 67th DIST.

**Title:** AN ACT INCREASING PENALTIES FOR ILLEGAL DISTRIBUTION OF OPIOIDS.

**Statement of Purpose:** To increase penalties for persons illegally dealing, trafficking in or otherwise distributing opioids, and to hold such persons liable for any resulting overdose deaths.

**Bill History:**

01-13-2021 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee

**Co-sponsor(s):**

Rep. Kenneth M Gucker, 138th Dist. Rep. William A. Petit, 22nd Dist.