

**39-13-516. Aggravated prostitution.**

- (a) A person commits aggravated prostitution when, knowing that such person is infected with HIV, the person engages in sexual activity as a business or is an inmate in a house of prostitution or loiters in a public place for the purpose of being hired to engage in sexual activity.
- (b) For the purposes of this section, "**HIV**" means the human immunodeficiency virus or any other identified causative agent of acquired immunodeficiency syndrome.
- (c) Nothing in this section shall be construed to require that an infection with **HIV** has occurred in order for a person to have committed aggravated prostitution.
- (d) Aggravated prostitution is a Class C felony.

[Acts 1991, ch. 281, § 2.]