

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999
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As Engrossed: S3/23/99

A Bill

Act 1271 of 1999
HOUSE BILL 1314

5 By: Representatives P. Malone, Broadway
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE IT ILLEGAL TO PROJECT A LASER LIGHT ON
10 A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; TO PRESCRIBE PENALTIES; AND
11 FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "
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Subtitle

13 "TO MAKE IT ILLEGAL TO PROJECT A LASER
14 LIGHT ON A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; TO
15 PRESCRIBE PENALTIES. "
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1 . (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to knowingly cause a
22 laser light beam, colored light beam or other targeting, pointing, or spotting
23 light beam to be projected, displayed or shined on a law enforcement officer
24 while in the performance of his duties.

25 (b) Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty
26 of a Class A misdemeanor.
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28 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
29 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
30 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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32 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
33 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
34 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
35 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
36 act are declared to be severable.

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SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

/s/ P. Malone

APPROVED: 4/9/1999