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5 By: Representative Post

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1865

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE OFFENSE OF INTERFERENCE WITH
9 CUSTODY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

12 TO CLARIFY THE OFFENSE OF INTERFERENCE
13 WITH CUSTODY.

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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-26-503(a), regarding the offense of
20 interference with custody, is amended to read as follows:

21 (a) A person commits the offense of interference with custody if
22 without lawful authority he or she knowingly takes, ~~or~~ entices, or keeps, or
23 aids, abets, hires, or otherwise procures another person to take, ~~or~~ entice,
24 or keep any minor from the custody of:

- 25 (1) The parent of the minor including an unmarried woman having
26 legal custody of an illegitimate child under § 9-10-113;
27 (2) The guardian of the minor;
28 (3) A public agency having lawful charge of the minor; or
29 (4) Any other lawful custodian.

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