Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

| 1  | State of Arkansas   | As Engrossed: S2/13/03 H3/17/03   | 3                   |  |
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| 2  | 84th General Assembly   | A Bill  | Act 1271 of 2003    |  |
| 3  | Regular Session, 2003   |   | SENATE BILL 194     |  |
| 4  |   |   |                     |  |
| 5  | By: Senator J. Bookout  |   |                     |  |
| 6  | By: Representative Lamour   | reux  |                     |  |
| 7  |   |   |                     |  |
| 8  |   |   |                     |  |
| 9  | For An Act To Be Entitled   |   |                     |  |
| 10 | AN ACT  | AN ACT CONCERNING THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF   |                     |  |
| 11 | AGGRAVATED ASSAULT UPON AN EMPLOYEE OF A  |   |                     |  |
| 12 | CORRECTIONAL FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  |   |                     |  |
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| 14 |   |   |                     |  |
| 15 | Subtitle  |   |                     |  |
| 16 | AN ACT CONCERNING THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE  |   |                     |  |
| 17 | OF  | OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT UPON AN EMPLOYEE  |                     |  |
| 18 | OF  | A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.  |                     |  |
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| 20 | BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:                         |   |                     |  |
| 21 |   |   |                     |  |
| 22 | SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-13-211 is amended to read as follows:                      |   |                     |  |
| 23 |   | 5-13-211. Aggravated assault upon an employee of a correctional                                 |                     |  |
| 24 | facility.   |   |                     |  |
| 25 | (a) A person commits aggravated assault upon an employee of a                           |   |                     |  |
| 26 | correctional facility if, under circumstances manifesting extreme                       |   |                     |  |
| 27 |   | indifference to the <del>value of human life</del> <u>personal hygiene of the employee</u> , he |                     |  |
| 28 | or she purposely engages in conduct that creates a potential danger of <del>death</del> |   |                     |  |
| 29 |   | or serious physical injury infection to an employee of any state or local                       |                     |  |
| 30 | -   | correctional facility while the employee is engaged in the course of his or                     |                     |  |
| 31 | her employment by causing such employee to come into contact with saliva,               |   |                     |  |
| 32 |   | blood, urine, feces, seminal fluid or other bodily fluid <u>, by throwing</u> ,                 |                     |  |
| 33 | tossing, or expelling such fluid or material.   |   |                     |  |
| 34 | (b) Aggravated assault upon an employee of a correctional facility is                   |   |                     |  |
| 35 | a Class D felony.   |   | /                   |  |
| 36 |   | /s/ J. Bookout  | APPROVED: 4/11/2003 |  |

