

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1991**

A BILL ACT 1236 OF 1991
SENATE BILL 722

4 **By: Senators Bradford and Howell**

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 267 OF 1991; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

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12 SECTION 1. Section 1 (c) of Act 267 of 1991 is hereby amended to read
13 as follows:

14 "(c) A law enforcement officer may arrest and take into custody without
15 a warrant any person who the law enforcement officer has probable cause to
16 believe is subject to an order of protection issued pursuant to the laws of
17 this state and who the officer has probable cause to believe has violated the
18 terms of the order, even if the violation did not take place in the presence
19 of the law enforcement officer."

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21 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
22 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
23 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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25 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
26 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
27 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
28 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
29 act are declared to be severable.

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31 SECTION 4. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this act are
32 hereby repealed.

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34 SECTION 5. Emergency. It is hereby found and determined by the General
35 Assembly that Act 267 of 1991 is in need of a technical correction; Act 267 of
36 1991 went into effect on February 28, 1991, and therefore this act should go

1 into effect immediately in order to clarify the law as soon as possible.
2 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this act being
3 immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
4 safety, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and
5 approval.

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