

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.

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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1010

5 By: Representative D. Hutchinson  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC SCHOOL CHILDREN FROM  
10 REGISTERED SEX OFFENDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

### Subtitle

13 AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC SCHOOL CHILDREN  
14 FROM REGISTERED SEX OFFENDERS.  
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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 § 5-14-132(b), concerning prohibiting  
20 registered sex offenders from entering upon school campuses, is amended to  
21 read as follows:

22 ~~(b) It is unlawful for a sex offender who is required to register~~  
23 ~~under the Sex Offender Registration Act of 1997, § 12-12-901 et seq., and who~~  
24 ~~has been assessed as a Level 3 or Level 4 offender to knowingly enter upon~~  
25 ~~the campus of a public school.~~ It is unlawful for a sex offender who is  
26 required to register under the Sex Offender Registration Act of 1997, § 12-  
27 12-901 et seq., to knowingly enter upon the campus of a public school if the  
28 sex offender has been assessed as:

29 (1) A Level 2 offender who is eighteen (18) years of age or  
30 older and if a victim of a sex offense for which the sex offender is required  
31 to register was less than eighteen (18) years of age at the time the sex  
32 offense involving the victim was committed;

33 (2) A Level 3 offender; or

34 (3) A Level 4 offender.  
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36 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-14-132(c)(1), concerning an exemption for



1 minor students who are registered sex offenders from the prohibition on  
2 entering school campuses, is amended to read as follows:

3 (1) Is a ~~minor~~ juvenile as defined by § 9-27-303, and is a student;

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