Hall of the House of Representatives

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 2384

"AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO CLARIFY THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF RAPE AND CREATE THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL ASSAULT."

Amendment No. 3 to House Bill No. 2384.

Amend House Bill No. 2384 as engrossed, 3/21/01:

Page 3, delete line 5 and substitute "<u>is less than fourteen (14) years of age.</u> <u>(4)(A) Engages in sexual contact with another person who is less</u> <u>than eighteen (18) years of age and the person:</u> <u>(i) Is employed with the Department of Correction,</u> <u>Department of Community Punishment, any city or county jail or any juvenile</u> <u>detention facility, and the minor is in custody at one of the facility</u> <u>operated by the agency or contractor employing the person;</u> <u>(ii) Is a professional under § 12-12-507(b) or is in</u> <u>a position of trust or authority over the minor; or</u> <u>(iii) Is the minor's guardian, an employee in the</u> <u>minor's school or school district, or a temporary caretaker.</u> <u>(B) For purposes of this subdivision (4), consent of the</u> <u>minor is not a defense to prosecution.</u>

AND

Page 3, line 17, add "<u>or a member of the clergy</u>," after "<u>12-12-507(b)</u>" and before "<u>and</u>"



The Amendment was read _____ By: Representative J. Elliott PBB/RTK - 032720010820 RTK338