Hall of the House of Representatives

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 2847

"AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR FIRST AND SECOND DEGREE ESCAPE."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2847.

Amend House Bill No. 2847 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute: "SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-54-110 is amended to read as follows: 5-54-110. First degree escape. (a) A person commits the offense of first degree escape if: (1) Aided by another person actually present, he uses or threatens to use physical force in escaping from custody, a correctional facility, a juvenile detention facility, or a youth services facility at any time from the point of departure from confinement to the return to confinement; or (2) He uses or threatens to use a deadly weapon in escaping from custody, from a correctional facility, from a juvenile detention facility, or from a youth services facility at any time from the point of departure from confinement to the return to confinement. (b) First degree escape is a Class C felony. SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-54-111 is amended to read as follows: 5-54-111. Second degree escape. (a) A person commits the offense of second degree escape if: (1) He uses or threatens to use physical force in escaping from custody at any time from the point of departure from confinement to the return to confinement; or (2) Having been found guilty of a felony, he escapes from custody; or (3) He escapes from a correctional facility; (4) He escapes from a juvenile detention facility; or (5) He escapes from a youth services facility.

(b) Second degree escape is a Class D felony."



The Amendment was read _ By: Representative Adams PBB/RCK - 032820031203 RCK836