ARKANSAS SENATE

88th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2011 Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 1000

TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING THE VIOLATION OF ORDERS OF PROTECTION.

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 1000

Amend Senate Bill No. 1000 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 19 and 20 and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-53-134(d), regarding affirmative

defenses for violating an order of protection, is amended to read as follows: (d) It is an affirmative defense to a prosecution under this section

if:

(1) The that the parties have reconciled prior to the violation of the order of protection; or

(2) The petitioner for the order of protection:

(A) Invited the defendant to come to the petitioner's

residence or place of employment listed in the order of protection; and

(B) Knew that the defendant's presence at the petitioner's residence or place of employment would be in violation of the order of protection."



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____ By: Senator J. Key MAG/JPS - 03/08/11 10:50 MAG280

Secretary