ARKANSAS SENATE 89th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2013

Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1409

CONCERNING THE EVALUATION PROTOCOL FOR ASSESSING PERSONS WHO POTENTIALLY WILL BE CLASSIFIED AS A SEXUALLY DANGEROUS PERSON; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES IN THE CHANGE IN TERMINOLOGY THROUGHOUT THE CODE.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1409

Amend House Bill No. 1409 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete Section 2, and substitute:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 12-12-903(15), concerning the definition of "sexually violent predator" under the Sex Offender Registration Act of 1997, is amended to read as follows:

(15)(A) "Sexually violent predator <u>dangerous person</u>" means a person who has been adjudicated guilty or acquitted on the grounds of mental disease or defect of a sexually violent offense and who suffers from a mental abnormality or personality disorder that makes the person likely to engage in predatory sexually violent offenses.

(B) A person previously classified as a sexually violent predator is now considered a sexually dangerous person."

AND

Page 6, line 17, delete "<u>Sex Offender Screening and Risk</u>" and substitute "Sex Offender Screening and Risk"



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____ By: Senator J. Woods BPG/LNS - 02-26-2013 15:36:57 BPG303