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A Bill

HOUSE BILL

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By: Representative Dawson

For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 5, CHAPTER 10,
SUBCHAPTER 1, TO DEFINE A CRIME PERTAINING TO NEGLIGENTLY
CAUSING THE DEATH OF ANOTHER PERSON OR USING A FIREARM FOR
HUNTING OR OTHER RECREATIONAL PURPOSES; TO PRESCRIBE THE
PENALTY THEREFOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 10, Subchapter 1, is hereby amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

"5-10-106. Any person who uses a firearm in a negligent manner while engaged in hunting or other recreational activities, while at the site of the hunting or recreational activities, or traveling between the person's motor vehicle and the site, shall be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor."

SECTION 2. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.