

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1991**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL

4 **By: Representatives Bryan and McCuiston**

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO GRANT CIVIL IMMUNITY TO SHERIFFS AND OTHER LAW
9 ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS SERVING AND EXECUTING WRITS OF
10 EXECUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

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14 SECTION 1. Any sheriff or other law enforcement officer acting
15 reasonably, in good faith and not in violation of clearly established law, and
16 exercising due care while serving and executing writs of execution shall have
17 immunity from suit and civil liability and shall not be liable for any civil
18 damages for acts performed in the official performance of his duties.

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

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24 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
25 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
26 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
27 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
28 act are declared to be severable.

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30 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
31 hereby repealed.

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