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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1639

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARK. CODE § 24-3-102(5) TO INCLUDE  
9 JUVENILE INTAKE OFFICERS WITHIN THE DEFINITION OF \_PUBLIC  
10 SAFETY MEMBER\_ IN PERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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## Subtitle

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13 "TO INCLUDE JUVENILE INTAKE OFFICERS  
14 WITHIN THE DEFINITION OF \_PUBLIC SAFETY  
15 MEMBER\_ IN PERS."

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

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19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Annotated § 24-3-102(5) is hereby amended to  
20 read as follows:

21 "(5) \_Public safety member\_ means a member whose covered employment is  
22 for personal services as a police officer or fire fighter. \_Police officer\_  
23 means any regular or permanent employee, whose primary duty is law  
24 enforcement, of a municipal police department, a county sheriff's office, or  
25 the Department of Arkansas State Police, including probationary police  
26 officers, and shall also include wildlife officers of the Arkansas State Game  
27 and Fish Commission, and all officers and the Director of the State Capitol  
28 Police within the office of the Secretary of State. The term \_police  
29 officer\_ shall not include any civilian employee of a police department or  
30 any person temporarily employed as a police officer during an emergency but  
31 shall include a juvenile intake officer or juvenile probation officer who is  
32 an employee of the juvenile division of chancery court, with additional cost  
33 to the system the responsibility of the State or the county, as appropriate.  
34 \_Fire fighter\_ means any regular or permanent employee of a fire department  
35 whose primary duty is fire fighting, including probationary fire fighters,



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