

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1746

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5 By: Representatives Hausam, Bush, Stalnaker, McJunkin and Davis

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON TO DESTROY OR
10 CARRY AWAY ANY CEMETERY MARKER OR GRAVE MARKER; AND FOR
11 OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL FOR ANY
15 PERSON TO DESTROY OR CARRY AWAY ANY
16 CEMETERY MARKER OR GRAVE MARKER."

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

20 SECTION 1. It is unlawful for any person to destroy or carry away any
21 cemetary marker or grave marker.

23 SECTION 2. A person who violates the provisions of this act is guilty
24 of a Class D felony.

26 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code 5-39-212(a)(2) is hereby repealed.

27 ~~_____ (2) Place any brush, tree tops, rubbish, or other unsightly debris on~~
28 ~~any cemetary grounds, or to disturb, damage, or carry away any marker in a~~
29 ~~cemetary.~~

31 SECTION 4. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
32 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
33 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

35 SECTION 5. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
36 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect

1 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
2 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
3 act are declared to be severable.

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5 SECTION 6. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
6 hereby repealed.

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/s/Rep. Hausam et al

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