

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1607

5 By: Representatives Boyd, Childers  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO SET VENUE FOR SEXUAL OFFENSES WHEN THE  
10 COUNTY WHERE THE OFFENSE IS COMMITTED CANNOT BE  
11 DETERMINED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

KATIE'S LAW  
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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20 SECTION 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as "Katie's Law".  
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22 SECTION 2. When any sexual offense, as defined by Arkansas Code 5-14-  
23 101 through 123, is committed against any person, who, at the time of the  
24 sexual offense, was traveling within this state by private motor vehicle,  
25 common carrier, watercraft, or other mode of transportation, and law  
26 enforcement is unable to determine the county in which the sexual offense was  
27 committed, the venue for prosecuting the person committing the sexual offense  
28 may be in any county of this state from, through, or to which the victim  
29 traveled.  
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31 /s/ Boyd  
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