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A Bill

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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN PERSONS TO REPORT TO LAW
10 ENFORCEMENT KNOWLEDGE THAT ANOTHER PERSON IS IN
11 POSSESSION OF CHILD PORNOGRAPHY ON A COMPUTER; AND
12 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 LAW ENFORCEMENT KNOWLEDGE THAT ANOTHER
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 5-27-604 is amended to read as follows:

25 5-27-604. Failure to report computer child pornography.

26 ~~(a) A person commits failure to report computer child pornography if~~
27 ~~the person:~~

28 ~~(1) Is the owner, operator, or employee of a computer online~~
29 ~~service, internet service, or bulletin board service; and~~

30 ~~(2) Knowingly fails to notify a law enforcement official that a~~
31 ~~subscriber is using the computer online service, internet service, or~~
32 ~~bulletin board service to commit a violation of § 5-27-603.~~

33 (a) A person commits failure to report computer child pornography if
34 the person is:

35 (1) The owner, operator, or employee of a computer online
36 service, Internet service, or bulletin board service and knowingly fails to



1 notify a law enforcement official that a subscriber is using the computer
2 online service, Internet service, or bulletin board service to commit a
3 violation of § 5-27-602 or § 5-27-603; or

4 (2) Engaged in the business of repairing or maintaining a
5 computer and knowingly fails to notify a law enforcement official that an
6 owner or user of a computer possesses on the computer a picture, video, or
7 other depiction of a minor in violation of § 5-27-602 or § 5-27-603.

8 (b) Failure to report computer child pornography is a Class A
9 misdemeanor.

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