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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1404

5 By: Representative House
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL LAW THAT PROHIBITS A
9 PERSON, CORPORATION, FIRM, OR PARTNERSHIP FROM
10 SELLING CERTAIN TICKETS IN EXCESS OF REGULAR PRICE;
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL LAW CONCERNING THE
15 SALE OF CERTAIN TICKETS IN EXCESS OF
16 REGULAR PRICE.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-63-201 is amended to read.

23 5-63-201. Tickets to school athletic events ~~or music entertainment~~
24 ~~events~~ - Sale in excess of regular price.

25 (a)(1) It is unlawful for ~~any~~ a person, corporation, firm, or
26 partnership to sell or offer for sale ~~any~~ a ticket to ~~+(A)—A~~ a high school or
27 college athletic event or to an athletic or other event held for the benefit
28 of charity at a greater price than that printed on the ticket ~~+~~.

29 ~~(B)—Any music entertainment event at a greater price than~~
30 ~~that printed on the ticket or the box office sale price plus any reasonable~~
31 ~~charge for handling or credit card use, whichever is the greater.~~

32 (2) This subsection shall not apply to an institution of higher
33 education that receives funds per ticket above the face value of that ticket.

34 (b)(1) ~~Any~~ A person, corporation, firm, or partnership ~~violating any~~
35 ~~provision of~~ that violates this section upon conviction is guilty of a
36 violation and ~~upon conviction~~ shall be fined in ~~any~~ a sum not less than



1 twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) ~~not~~ and not more than five hundred dollars
2 (\$500).

3 (2) Every sale or offer for sale is a separate offense.
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