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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2057

5 By: Representative Perry
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING SPORT SHOOTING
9 RANGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

10 TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING SPORT SHOOTING
11 RANGES.
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13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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17 *SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-105-502(a) and (b), concerning sport
18 shooting ranges, are amended to read as follows:*

19 *(a) ~~Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, a~~ An
20 agency, business, government unit, person who, or entity that operates or
21 uses a sport shooting range in this state ~~shall not be~~ is not ~~subject to~~
22 civil liability or criminal prosecution for noise or noise pollution
23 resulting from the operation or use of the sport shooting range if the range
24 is in compliance with noise control ordinances of local units of government
25 that applied to the range and its operation at the time the range was
26 constructed and began operation if the sport shooting range is located within
27 a commercially zoned area and meets applicable local, state, and federal
28 rules and regulations for operation.*

29 *(b)(1) A An agency, business, government unit, person who, or entity*
30 *that operates or uses a sport shooting range is not subject to an action for*
31 *nuisance, and ~~no~~ a court of the state may not ~~enjoin the use of~~ or operation*
32 *of a sport shooting range on the basis of noise or noise pollution, if the*
33 *sport shooting range is in compliance with noise control ordinances of units*
34 *of local government that applied to the range and its operation at the time*
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1 ~~the range was constructed and began operation~~ operated or used for its
2 intended purpose and the operation or use occurs during normal hours of
3 operation.

4 (2) As used in subdivision (b)(1) of this section, "normal hours
5 of operation" means any time between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m.

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7 /s/Perry
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