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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1728

5 By: Representative Copeland  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT CONCERNING FINGERPRINTING BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT  
10 AGENCY; PERTAINING TO DUPLICATE RECORDS OF A CRIMINAL  
11 OFFENSE WHEN THERE IS AN ARREST FOR A PROBATION  
12 VIOLATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

15 CONCERNING FINGERPRINTING BY A LAW  
16 ENFORCEMENT AGENCY; PERTAINING TO  
17 DUPLICATE RECORDS OF A CRIMINAL OFFENSE  
18 WHEN THERE IS AN ARREST FOR A PROBATION  
19 VIOLATION.  
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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25 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-12-1006(a)(1), concerning fingerprinting  
26 by a law enforcement agency, is amended to read as follows:

27 (a)(1)(A) Immediately following an arrest for an offense, a law  
28 enforcement official at the receiving criminal detention facility shall take,  
29 or cause to be taken, the fingerprints and a photograph of the arrested  
30 person if the offense is a felony or a Class A misdemeanor.

31 (B) A law enforcement official at the receiving criminal  
32 detention facility shall not take fingerprints of the arrested person if:

33 (i) The arrest was for a probation violation; and

34 (ii) The arrested person's fingerprints are already  
35 possessed by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State  
36 Police.



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