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**A Bill**

HOUSE BILL 1021

5 By: Representatives Lea, Harris, Woods  
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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 AN ACT TO AMEND § 5-13-211 TO INCLUDE ALL CERTIFIED  
9 LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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11 **Subtitle**

12 TO AMEND § 5-13-211 TO INCLUDE ALL  
13 CERTIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.  
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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-13-211 is amended to read as follows:

20 *5-13-211. Aggravated assault upon a certified law enforcement officer*  
21 *or an employee of a correctional facility.*

22 *(a) A person commits aggravated assault upon a certified law*  
23 *enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility if, under*  
24 *circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the personal hygiene of the*  
25 *certified law enforcement officer or employee of the correctional facility,*  
26 *the person purposely engages in conduct that creates a potential danger of*  
27 *infection to the certified law enforcement officer or an employee of any*  
28 *state or local correctional facility while the certified law enforcement*  
29 *officer or employee of the state or local correctional facility is engaged in*  
30 *the course of his or her employment by purposely causing the certified law*  
31 *enforcement officer or employee of the state or local correctional facility*  
32 *to come into contact with saliva, blood, urine, feces, seminal fluid, or*  
33 *other bodily fluid ~~by throwing, tossing, or expelling the fluid or material.~~*

34 *(b) Aggravated assault upon a certified law enforcement officer or an*  
35 *employee of a correctional facility is a Class D felony.*  
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