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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1280

By: Representative Kizzia

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROHIBITION AGAINST CERTAIN
NOVELTY LIGHTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

CONCERNING THE PROHIBITION AGAINST
CERTAIN NOVELTY LIGHTERS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-60-102(a), concerning the definition of "novelty lighter" is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) As used in this section, "novelty lighter" means a product commonly used by consumers to ignite cigarettes, cigars, ~~and pipes,~~ gas grills, or other combustible material that has entertaining audio or visual features that depict or resemble in physical form or function articles commonly recognized as appealing to or intended for use by children ten (10) years of age or younger, including without limitation lighters that depict or resemble cartoon characters, toys, guns, watches, musical instruments, vehicles, toy animals, food, or beverages, or that play musical notes or have flashing lights or other entertaining features.

(2) "Novelty lighter" does not include:

- (A) A lighter manufactured before 1980; or
- (B) A lighter that lacks a device necessary to produce combustion or a flame.

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