

State of Arkansas  
93rd General Assembly  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1179

By: Representative Gonzales

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL PERMANENT DISQUALIFYING  
OFFENSE ON CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PROFESSIONS  
AND OCCUPATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL PERMANENT  
DISQUALIFYING OFFENSE ON CRIMINAL  
BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PROFESSIONS AND  
OCCUPATIONS.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-3-102(e), concerning permanent disqualification offenses for licensure, is amended to an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(13) Engaging children in sexually explicit conduct for use in visual or print media, transportation of minors for prohibited sexual conduct, pandering or possessing visual or print medium depicting sexually explicit conduct involving a child, or use of a child or consent to use of a child in a sexual performance by producing, directing, or promoting a sexual performance by a child, as prohibited in §§ 5-27-303 – 5-27-305, 5-27-402, and 5-27-403.

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