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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1581

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For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO ADD TRAFFICKING OF PERSONS TO THE LIST OF
OFFENSES INCLUDED IN THE DEFINITION OF SEX OFFENSE
FOR RIGHTS OF VICTIMS OF A CRIME; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO ADD TRAFFICKING OF PERSONS TO THE
LIST OF OFFENSES INCLUDED IN THE
DEFINITION OF SEX OFFENSE FOR RIGHTS OF
VICTIMS OF A CRIME.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-90-1101(6), concerning the definition of "sex offense" with respect to rights of victims of crime, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:

(T) Trafficking of persons, § 5-18-103; or

(U) Grooming a minor for future sex trafficking, § 5-18-

106;

APPROVED: 3/18/25

