

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1844

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For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT CONCERNING WHAT CONSTITUTES CRIMINALLY
INJURIOUS CONDUCT UNDER THE ARKANSAS CRIME VICTIMS
REPARATIONS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

CONCERNING WHAT CONSTITUTES CRIMINALLY
INJURIOUS CONDUCT UNDER THE ARKANSAS
CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS ACT.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-90-703(5), concerning the definition of "criminally injurious conduct", is amended to read as follows:

(5)(A)(i) "Criminally injurious conduct" means an act which occurs or is attempted in this state that results in personal injury or death to a victim, and which act is punishable by fine, imprisonment, or death.

(ii) "Criminally injurious conduct" shall include acts of international terrorism committed outside of the United States as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 2331 as it existed on January 1, 2019, against any Arkansas resident.

~~(iii) "Criminally injurious conduct" does not include acts arising out of the operation of motor vehicles, boats, or aircraft unless the acts were committed with the intent to inflict injury or death or unless the acts involve any of the following:~~

~~(a) Injury or death intentionally inflicted~~



~~through the use of a motor vehicle, boat, or aircraft;~~

~~(b) A violation of the Omnibus DWI or BWI Act,
§ 5-65-101 et seq.; or~~

~~(c) A violation of § 27-53-101.~~

(B) For the purposes of this subchapter, a person shall be deemed to have committed criminally injurious conduct, notwithstanding that by reason of age, insanity, drunkenness, or other reason he or she was legally incapable of committing a crime;