

REFERENCE TITLE: laser pointers; technical correction

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# SB 1451

Introduced by  
Senator Gould

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 13-1213, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENSES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 13-1213, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4 13-1213. Aiming a laser pointer at a peace officer;  
5 classification; definition

6 A. A person commits aiming a laser pointer at a peace officer if the  
7 person intentionally or knowingly directs the beam of light from an operating  
8 laser pointer at another person and the person knows or reasonably should  
9 know that the other person is a peace officer.

10 B. Aiming a laser pointer at a peace officer is a class 1 misdemeanor.

11 C. For the purposes of this section, "laser pointer" means any device  
12 that consists of a high-POWERED or low-powered visible light beam used for  
13 aiming, targeting or pointing out features.