

REFERENCE TITLE: airports; designated security areas; weapons

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AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 28, CHAPTER 25, ARTICLE 6, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 28-8429; RELATING TO AIRPORTS.

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

2 Section 1. Title 28, chapter 25, article 6, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding section 28-8429, to read:

4 28-8429. Misconduct involving weapons in a designated airport
5 security area; classification; definition

6 A. A PERSON COMMITS MISCONDUCT INVOLVING WEAPONS IN A DESIGNATED
7 AIRPORT SECURITY AREA BY KNOWINGLY CARRYING, POSSESSING OR EXERCISING CONTROL
8 OVER A DEADLY WEAPON IN A DESIGNATED AIRPORT SECURITY AREA.

9 B. THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO:

10 1. A PEACE OFFICER WHILE IN THE ACTUAL PERFORMANCE OF THE OFFICER'S
11 DUTIES.

12 2. A MEMBER OF THE MILITARY FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES OR OF ANY
13 STATE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE ACTUAL PERFORMANCE OF THE MEMBER'S OFFICIAL
14 DUTIES.

15 C. A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION IS A CLASS 6 FELONY.

16 D. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "DESIGNATED AIRPORT SECURITY
17 AREA" MEANS ANY AREA OF AN AIRPORT SPECIFIED IN AN AIRPORT SECURITY PROGRAM
18 THAT IS AUTHORIZED AND APPROVED BY THE UNITED STATES TRANSPORTATION SECURITY
19 ADMINISTRATION PURSUANT TO 49 UNITED STATES CODE SECTION 44903(h)(7)(F).