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HB 2002 – Chapter 40 – correctional officers; arrest; unlawful imprisonment

Grants detention officers the power to arrest a person on an arrest warrant if the person is already in the custody of the jail facility at which the detention officer is employed or the person surrenders to the jail facility at which the detention officer is employed. Expands a defense to the crime of unlawful imprisonment to detention officers acting in their official capacity.

HB 2004 – Chapter 20 – first informer broadcasters

Permits the Arizona Division of Emergency Management to coordinate with Arizona broadcasting associations to develop plans in the event of an emergency or disaster and prescribes training requirements for first informer broadcasters.

HB 2103 – Chapter 85 – concealed carry permit; qualifications

Allows an individual of at least 19 years of age to obtain a concealed weapon permit if the person is currently in military service or has been honorably discharged.

HB 2105 – Chapter 197 [E] – court-ordered evaluations; peace officers

Authorizes a peace officer to detain a person who is believed to be a danger based on probable cause, rather than observed behavior.

HB 2135 – Chapter 30 – Military affairs commission; continuation

Continues the Military Affairs Commission for eight years until July 1, 2022 and applies retroactively to July 1, 2014.

HB 2145 – Chapter 164 [E] – identifying information; peace officer spouses

Allows the spouse of a peace officer to request that public records containing certain personal identifying information remain confidential.

HB 2306 – Chapter 56 – fingerprint clearance cards; periodic checks

Adds *trafficking of persons for forced labor or services* to the list of offenses which preclude a person from receiving a regular or Level I FPCC. Requires, rather than allows, DPS to conduct periodic state criminal history checks and permits DPS to conduct federal criminal history checks for regular and Level 1 FPCC holders for the purpose of updating clearance status.

HB 2311 – Chapter 143 – military justice; courts-martial

Modifies statutes related to the qualifications of the Arizona Adjutant General and the Arizona Code of Military Justice.

HB 2322 – Chapter 261 – national instant criminal background checks

Requires certain court case information to be transmitted to the National Instant Criminal Background Check System, effective January 1, 2015, if the following apply:

- A person is found by a court to be mentally incompetent;
- A person is found by a court to be guilty except insane;
- A guardian is appointed to a person by a court for reasons other than 100% physical incapacity;
or
- A court enters an order for treatment for a person who has been found to be a danger to self or others.

HB 2323 – Chapter 34 – blue alert notification system

Establishes the blue alert notification system as a quick response system designed to issue and coordinate alerts following an attack on a law enforcement officer.

HB 2332 – Chapter 92 – unclaimed remains; veterans; burial

Authorizes a person that possesses unclaimed cremated remains to release verification information to the U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs or a veterans' service organization (organization) in order to verify whether the remains are that of a veteran. Permits a person who has received verification to transfer the remains to an organization and requires the organization to ensure the remains are transported and interred in a veterans' cemetery. Provides immunity from civil liability for the person that releases verification information or transfers remains should any damages arise from a veteran's interment.

HB 2336 – Chapter 147 – firearms; law enforcement officers

Removes language describing the type of establishment where a peace officer or retired peace officer is prohibited from carrying a firearm while consuming alcohol, specifically a licensed liquor establishment operated by the state or a political subdivision of the state.

HB 2443 – Chapter 93 – hunting and fishing licenses; military

Allows a member of the US Armed Forces who is on active duty and either temporarily or permanently stationed in Arizona to purchase a resident hunting or fishing license.

HB 2457 – Chapter 37 – mental health; veterans courts; establishment

Allows the presiding judge of the superior court in each county to establish a veterans court and a mental health court and requires the presiding judge to determine eligibility criteria for referral to either court.

HB 2462 – Chapter 170 – *virtual border fence

Modifies the type of fence and distance from the Arizona-Mexico border that a border fence (fence) may be constructed if the governor enters into a compact with other states to build a fence or if Arizona builds a fence.

HB 2562 – Chapter 240 – probation; peace officers; rights; investigations

Reorganizes and makes changes to the sections of statute governing a law enforcement officer's rights and probation officer's rights.

HB 2591 – Chapter 271 – joint powers public safety committee

Establishes a governing board for the purpose of sharing criminal justice information between law enforcement agencies.

SB 1040 – Chapter 66 – *auxiliary members; leave of absence

Grants public officers and employees, who serve as auxiliary members of the U.S. military, leaves of absence from their duties while under military orders, not to exceed 30 days in any two consecutive years.

SB 1097 – Chapter 232 – silver alert notification system

Establishes the silver alert notification system designed to issue and coordinate alerts following the report of a missing person over the age of 65.

SB 1118 – Chapter 182 – hunting on private land; trespassing

Grants law enforcement officers the authority to enforce prohibitions against hunting, fishing, or trapping when acting at the request of a private landowner.

SB 1158 – Chapter 108 [E] – *fireworks; permissible use

Permits an incorporated city or town and a county within unincorporated areas of the county

during designated times to regulate the sale of permissible consumer fireworks, except in a county with more than 500,000 people, the sale and use of permissible consumer fireworks is permitted during statutorily prescribed time periods. Modifies the penalty, from a Class 3 misdemeanor to a civil penalty of \$1000, for violating laws relating to fireworks and institutes a Class 1 misdemeanor and \$1000 fine for a person who uses any type of firework on preservation lands. Allows the sale of fireworks to specific entities if the seller makes outlined information available to the state or local fire marshal for a period of five years and institutes penalties for failing to provide the prescribed information. Modifies definitions.

SB 1217 – Chapter 113 – precinct officers; salaries

Increases the salary cap from \$15,000 to \$16,500 for constables of precincts with an average of 100 or fewer documents served per year over the previous four years and modifies annual salary limits for constables of precincts with an average of 100 or more documents served per year over the previous four years in accordance with the number of registered voters within the precinct.

SB 1312 – Chapter 79 – Vietnam veterans day

Institutes March 29th of each year as Vietnam Veterans' Day to be observed as a non-legal holiday.

SB 1313 – Chapter 191 – Arizona gold star military medal

Establishes an application process and revises eligibility requirements to receive the Arizona Gold Star Military Medal.

SB 1401 – Chapter 227 – United States submarine memorial

Authorizes ADOA to provide for the placement of a memorial in Wesley Bolin Plaza dedicated to U.S. submarine veterans. Prohibits the use of any public monies in the placement of the memorial and requires the proponents of the memorial to organize fundraising, contracts for artistic design and construction.

SB 1476 – Chapter 236 – electromagnetic pulse preparedness; recommendations

Requires DEMA to develop and post online preparedness recommendations in the event of an electromagnetic pulse across the US and defines *electromagnetic pulse* as a burst of electromagnetic energy occurring in the form of a radiated electric magnetic field or conducted electrical current caused by a coronal mass ejection from the sun, detonation of a nuclear bomb high in the earth's upper atmosphere, or a man-made electromechanical device.