

REFERENCE TITLE: **personal disguises; crime; evasion**

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Representatives Lawrence: Kern

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 13, CHAPTER 29, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 13-2925; RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER.

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

2 Section 1. Title 13, chapter 29, Arizona Revised Statutes, is
3 amended by adding section 13-2925, to read:

4 13-2925. Unlawful use of personal disguise; classification

5 A. IT IS UNLAWFUL FOR A PERSON TO WEAR A DISGUISE, WHETHER PARTIAL
6 OR COMPLETE, TO EVADE OR ESCAPE DISCOVERY, RECOGNITION OR IDENTIFICATION
7 WHILE PARTICIPATING IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

8 1. THE COMMISSION OF ANY PUBLIC OFFENSE.

9 2. A CIVIL PROTEST.

10 3. A POLITICAL EVENT.

11 4. A PUBLIC EVENT.

12 B. A PEACE OFFICER MAY DETAIN A PERSON WHO IS WEARING A DISGUISE TO
13 VERIFY THE PERSON'S IDENTITY AND TO DETERMINE IF THE PERSON HAS COMMITTED
14 A PUBLIC OFFENSE.

15 C. THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A PERSON WHO IS WEARING A
16 DISGUISE FOR A BUSINESS-RELATED PURPOSE OR DURING ANY EVENT OR AT ANY
17 PLACE WHERE A DISGUISE MAY GENERALLY BE VIEWED AS PART OF ACCEPTABLE
18 ATTIRE.

19 D. A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION IS A CLASS 6 FELONY, EXCEPT THAT IT
20 IS A CLASS 2 FELONY IF THE PERSON WHO IS WEARING THE DISGUISE HAS DIRECT
21 OR INDIRECT INVOLVEMENT IN AN OFFENSE INVOLVING PROPERTY DAMAGE, INJURY OR
22 DEATH.