

REFERENCE TITLE: sovereign authority; law enforcement

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Introduced by
Representatives Jones: Diaz, Harris, Hendrix, Marshall, McGarr, Nguyen,
Smith, Senator Wadsack

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 1, CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE 4, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTION 1-273; RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

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

2 Section 1. Title 1, chapter 2, article 4, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding section 1-273, to read:

4 1-273. Sovereign authority; right

5 PURSUANT TO THE SOVEREIGN AUTHORITY OF THIS STATE AND ARTICLE II,
6 SECTION 3, CONSTITUTION OF ARIZONA, THIS STATE AND ALL POLITICAL
7 SUBDIVISIONS OF THIS STATE ARE PROHIBITED FROM USING ANY PERSONNEL OR
8 FINANCIAL RESOURCES TO ENFORCE, ADMINISTER OR COOPERATE WITH ANY ACT, LAW,
9 TREATY, ORDER, RULE OR REGULATION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT THAT IS
10 INCONSISTENT WITH ANY LAW OF THIS STATE REGARDING THE AUTHORITY OF STATE
11 AND LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.