

REFERENCE TITLE: technical correction; overtaking bicycles

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HB 2205

Introduced by
Representative Wilmeth

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 28-735, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO VEHICLE
REGULATION.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

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

2 Section 1. Section 28-735, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 28-735. Overtaking bicycles; civil penalties

5 A. When overtaking and passing a bicycle proceeding in the same
6 direction, a person driving a motor vehicle shall exercise due care by
7 leaving a safe distance between the motor vehicle and the bicycle of not
8 less than three feet until the motor vehicle is safely past the overtaken
9 bicycle.

10 B. If a person violates this section and the violation results in a
11 collision causing:

12 1. Serious physical injury as defined in section 13-105 to another
13 person, the violator is subject to a civil penalty of up to five hundred
14 dollars.

15 2. Death to another person, the violator is subject to a civil
16 penalty of up to one thousand dollars.

17 C. Subsection B of this section does not apply ~~to~~ IF a bicyclist
18 ~~who~~ is injured in a vehicular traffic lane when a designated bicycle lane
19 or path is present and passable.