



**ARIZONA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION**

*57th Legislature, 2nd Regular Session  
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**HB 2589: unlawful exposure; minors; drag show**

**KOLODIN FLOOR AMENDMENT**

1. Revises the prohibition from a *drag show performance* to an *adult oriented performance*, and changes the definition accordingly.
2. Changes the culpable mental state from *knowingly* to *intentionally*.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AMENDMENTS TO H.B. 2589  
(Reference to printed bill)

Amendment instruction key:  
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<<Green carets>> indicate a section added to the bill.  
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1 The bill as proposed to be amended is reprinted as follows:

2 Section 1. Title 13, chapter 35, Arizona Revised Statutes, is  
3 amended by adding section 13-3508, to read:

4 13-3508. Unlawful exposure to drag show performances:  
5 classification; definitions

6 A. A PERSON COMMITS UNLAWFUL EXPOSURE TO [A DRAG SHOW] [AN ADULT  
7 ORIENTED] PERFORMANCE BY [KNOWINGLY] [INTENTIONALLY] DOING ANY OF THE  
8 FOLLOWING:

9 1. ALLOWING A MINOR UNDER THE PERSON'S CUSTODY OR CONTROL TO VIEW  
10 [A DRAG SHOW] [AN ADULT ORIENTED] PERFORMANCE.

11 2. ALLOWING A MINOR TO ENTER OR REMAIN IN A BUILDING OR PART OF A  
12 BUILDING WHERE [A DRAG SHOW] [AN ADULT ORIENTED] PERFORMANCE IS OCCURRING.

13 3. PERFORMING OR ALLOWING ANOTHER PERSON UNDER THE PERSON'S CUSTODY  
14 OR CONTROL TO PERFORM [A DRAG SHOW] [AN ADULT ORIENTED] PERFORMANCE IN  
15 VIEW OF A MINOR.

16 B. UNLAWFUL EXPOSURE TO [A DRAG SHOW] [AN ADULT ORIENTED]  
17 PERFORMANCE IS A CLASS 4 FELONY.

18 C. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION:

19 1. "[DRAG SHOW] [ADULT ORIENTED] PERFORMANCE" MEANS AN IN-PERSON  
20 SHOW OR PERFORMANCE[, WITH OR WITHOUT CONSIDERATION,] THAT [INCLUDES ANY  
21 OF THE FOLLOWING]:

22 (a) [A PERSON WHO USES CLOTHING, MAKEUP, COSTUMING, PROSTHETICS OR  
23 OTHER PHYSICAL MARKERS TO PRESENT AN EXAGGERATED AND STYLIZED GENDER  
24 EXPRESSION THAT DIFFERS FROM THE PERSON'S BIOLOGICAL SEX OR NORMAL GENDER  
25 PRESENTATION.] [TAKEN AS A WHOLE APPEALS TO A PRURIENT INTEREST IN SEX;  
26 AND]

27 (b) [A PERSON WHOSE PERFORMANCE IS CHARACTERIZED BY THE EXPOSURE OF  
28 SPECIFIC ANATOMICAL AREAS OR SPECIFIC SEXUAL ACTIVITIES WHILE DRESSED AS

1 ~~THE OPPOSITE SEX.] [DEPICTS OR SIMULATES SPECIFIC SEXUAL ACTIVITIES OR~~  
2 ~~THE LEWD EXPOSURE OF SPECIFIC ANATOMICAL AREAS.]~~  
3 ~~[(c) A PERFORMANCE THAT IS HARMFUL TO MINORS.~~  
4 ~~2. "HARMFUL TO MINORS" HAS THE SAME MEANING PRESCRIBED IN SECTION~~  
5 ~~13-3501.]~~

6 Enroll and engross to conform

7 Amend title to conform

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