

HB 2700 -- REVENGE PORNOGRAPHY

SPONSOR: Jones

This bill specifies that a person commits the crime of revenge pornography, a class D felony, if he or she, knowing that he or she is not licensed or privileged to do so, purposely and knowingly:

(1) Photographs, films, videotapes, records, or otherwise reproduces in any matter the image of another person exposing intimate body parts or engaging in a sexual act without his or her consent and under circumstances in which a reasonable person would not expect to be observed; and

(2) Discloses any photograph, film, videotape, recording, or any other reproduction of the image of another person whose intimate parts are exposed or who is engaged in a sexual act unless that person has consented to the disclosure.

It will be a defense to any prosecution of these provisions if the person is engaged in lawful law enforcement duties, lawful medical practices or treatment, forensic examination, certain legal proceedings, the reporting of unlawful conduct, or the individual consents to the disclosure of the images in a public or commercial setting.

This bill is similar to HB 1203 (2014).