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# **HOUSE BILL NO. 607**

## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

## AN ACT

To amend chapter 565, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to law enforcement officers, with a penalty provision.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 565, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 565.087, to read as follows:

565.087. 1. As used in this section, "target" means knowingly causing serious physical injury to any person, or attempting to do so, because of the actual or perceived status of the person as a law enforcement officer, whether on duty or off duty.

- 2. Any person who intentionally targets a law enforcement officer shall be guilty of a class A felony and, notwithstanding any other provision of law, shall not be eligible for:
  - (1) Suspended imposition of sentence or suspended execution of sentence; or
- (2) (a) For targeting, after deliberation upon the matter, which knowingly causes serious physical injury to any person because of the actual or perceived status of the person as a law enforcement officer, parole or conditional release until such person has served a minimum of ten years of imprisonment;
- (b) For attempted targeting involving a deadly weapon, after deliberation upon the matter, parole or conditional release until such person has served a minimum of five years of imprisonment.

