

SENATE BILL NO. 1312

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR ROWDEN.

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To repeal section 574.120, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the offense of making a terrorist threat in the second degree, with penalty provisions.

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

Section A. Section 574.120, RSMo, is repealed and one new
2 section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 574.120,
3 to read as follows:

574.120. 1. A person commits the offense of making a
2 terrorist threat in the second degree if he or she
3 recklessly disregards the risk of causing the evacuation,
4 quarantine or closure of any portion of a building,
5 inhabitable structure, **private residence**, place of assembly,
6 or facility of transportation and knowingly:

7 (1) Communicates an express or implied threat to cause
8 an incident or condition involving danger to life; or

9 (2) Communicates a false report of an incident or
10 condition involving danger to life; or

11 (3) Causes a false belief or fear that an incident has
12 occurred or that a condition exists involving danger to life.

13 2. The offense of making a terrorist threat in the
14 second degree is a class E felony, **unless such offense**
15 **caused death, bodily injury, or property damage then it**
16 **shall be a class D felony.**

17 3. No offense is committed under this section by a
18 person acting in good faith with the purpose to prevent harm.

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