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CHAPTER 172

SENATE BILL 1549

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 12-713, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO CIVIL ACTIONS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

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

Section 1. Section 12-713, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

12-713. Emergency call system; public safety radio communications network; liability standard

~~A.~~ A person, private entity~~,~~ OR public entity or any of ~~their~~ ITS employees ~~who are~~ THAT IS involved in developing, operating, implementing, MAINTAINING or participating in a 911 emergency telephone system or ~~a~~ similar emergency dispatch system OR A PUBLIC SAFETY RADIO COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK OR SIMILAR NETWORK is not liable for civil damages that result from an act or omission in connection with developing, operating, implementing, MAINTAINING or participating in a 911 emergency telephone system OR PUBLIC SAFETY RADIO COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK or a similar emergency system OR NETWORK unless the person or entity acted knowingly or had reason to know the facts that would lead a reasonable person to realize that the person's or entity's act or failure to act not only created an unreasonable risk of bodily injury to others, but also involved a high probability that substantial harm would result.

~~B. This section applies to causes of action that accrue on or after the effective date of this section.~~

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY 1, 2007.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY 1, 2007.

Passed the House April 23, 2007,

by the following vote: 40 Ayes,

15 Nays, 5 Not Voting

Speaker of the House

By Tempore

Thomas L. Moore

Chief Clerk of the House

Passed the Senate February 22, 2007,

by the following vote: 29 Ayes,

0 Nays, 1 Not Voting

Timothy S. Bee

President of the Senate

Chauncey Billington

Secretary of the Senate

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR

This Bill was received by the Governor this

25th day of April, 2007

at 11:58 o'clock a. M.

Jennifer Ybarra

Secretary to the Governor

Approved this 1 day of

May, 2007,

at 1:00 o'clock P. M.

Governor of Arizona

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

This Bill was received by the Secretary of State

this 1ST day of MAY, 2007,

at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

Janice K. Brewer

Secretary of State

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