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SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, a private person may conduct a citizen's arrest for certain public offenses.

This bill would repeal existing law authorizing a citizen's arrest.

A BILL  
TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

Relating to criminal procedure; to repeal Section 15-10-7, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to arrests by private persons.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. Section 15-10-7, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to arrests by private persons, is repealed.

Section 2. This act shall become effective on the first day of the third month following its passage and approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.