

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA  
ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SESSION  
**LEGISLATIVE BILL 472**

Introduced by Karpisek, 32.

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Committee:

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-101,  
2 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to prohibit  
3 flying lanterns; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal  
4 the original section.  
5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1                   Section 1. Section 28-101, Revised Statutes Cumulative  
2 Supplement, 2012, is amended to read:

3                   28-101 Sections 28-101 to 28-1356 and section 2 of this  
4 act shall be known and may be cited as the Nebraska Criminal Code.

5                   Sec. 2. (1) Flying lantern-type devices are prohibited  
6 from sale, possession, and use in this state.

7                   (2) For purposes of this section, flying lantern-type  
8 devices means devices that require a flame which produces heated air  
9 trapped in a balloon-type covering allowing the device to float in  
10 the air. Flying lantern-type devices shall not include hot-air  
11 balloons used for transporting persons.

12                   (3) A violation of this section is a Class V misdemeanor.

13                   Sec. 3. Original section 28-101, Revised Statutes  
14 Cumulative Supplement, 2012, is repealed.