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103 (b) was caused by use of a dangerous weapon as defined in Section 76-1-601;	
104 (c) involves physical torture or causes serious emotional harm to a person; or	
105 (d) creates a reasonable risk of death.	
106 (9) "Trespasser" means a person who enters on the land of another without:	
107 (a) express or implied permission; or	
108 (b) invitation.	
109 Section 4. Section <b>57-14-201</b> , which is renumbered from Section 57-14-3 is	
110 renumbered and amended to read:	
111Part 2. Liability Relating to Recreational Use	
112 [57-14-3]. <u>57-14-201.</u> Owner owes no duty of care or duty to give warning	
113 Exceptions.	
114 Except as provided in Subsections [ $57-14-6$ ] $57-14-204(1)$ and (2) $\hat{S} \rightarrow$ [and Part 3, Liabil	i <u>ty</u>
115 <u>Relating to Trespassers</u> ] $\leftarrow \hat{S}$ , an owner of land owes no duty of care to keep the [premises] land	afe
116 for entry or use by any person entering or using the [premises] land for any recreational	
117 purpose or to give [any] warning of a dangerous condition, use, structure, or activity on [those	
118 premises to that person] the land.	
119 Section 5. Section <b>57-14-202</b> , which is renumbered from Section 57-14-4 is	
120 renumbered and amended to read:	

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214	Responsibility, or any other provision of law.
215	(b) An owner is not subject to liability for serious physical injury or death to a
216	trespasser under Subsection (2) $\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow [\underline{(a)}] \leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$ if the burden on the owner to eliminate,
216a	or to protect against
217	serious physical injury or death from, the artificial condition outweighs the risk of serious
218	physical injury or death posed by the artificial condition.
219	(c) An owner is not subject to liability for serious physical injury or death to a
220	trespasser under Subsection (2) $\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow [\underline{(a)}] \leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$ if the serious injury or death is caused
220a	<u>by</u> <b>Ĥ→ [<u>the existence of</u>] ←Ĥ</b> <u>an</u>
221	irrigation canal or ditch $\hat{H} \rightarrow [$ on the owner's land ] $\leftarrow \hat{H}$ .
221a	$\hat{H} \rightarrow (d) A$ public transit district is not subject to liability for a serious physical injury or
221b	death to a trespasser under Subsection (2) if the serious injury or death is caused by a
221c	trespasser entering into a fixed guideway, railroad right-of-way, or on transit facilities or
221d	premises in violation of Section 56-1-18.5 or Section 41-6a-1005.
221e	(4) Nothing in this chapter shall impose liability on an owner except to the extent
221f	<u>liability existed as of May 14, 2013.</u> ←Ĥ
222	Section 10. Section <b>57-14-401</b> is enacted to read:
223	Part 4. Inherent Risks of Certain Activities
224	57-14-401. Inherent risks of activities with a recreational purpose on certain
225	lands.
226	(1) Notwithstanding Section 57-14-202 to the contrary, a person may not make a claim
227	against or recover from an owner of $\hat{H} \rightarrow any \leftarrow \hat{H}$ land $\hat{S} \rightarrow , as defined in this chapter, including$
227a1	land ←ŜĤ→Ŝ→[[ in developed or improved, urban or
227a	<u>semi-rural areas</u> ]] ←Ŝ ←Ĥ
228	opened to the general public without charge, such as a lake, pond, park, trail, waterway, or
229	other recreation site, for personal injury or property damage caused by the inherent risks of
230	participating in an activity with a recreational purpose on the land.
231	(2) Nothing in this section may be construed to relieve a person participating in a
232	recreational purpose from an obligation that the person would have in the absence of this
233	section to exercise due care or from the legal consequences of a failure to exercise due care.

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