## Jason London, Dazed and Confused Star, Arrested for Assault in Scottsdale By: Jeremy Geigle, Attorney at Law JacksonWhite, P.C.

40-year-old Jason London was arrested outside of Scottsdale nightclub, Martini Ranch around 1:30 a.m. on Sunday, January 27. Apparently, the Dazed and Confused star was ejected from the club after he sneezed on a bouncer and then punched the man when he demanded an apology.

Scottsdale police, who were already on the scene after responding to a bouncer stabbing at the same location, arrested London for disorderly conduct and assault. After he was placed under arrest, it was reported that London got belligerent towards police, shouting homophobic slurs before deliberately soiling himself in the back of the cop car.

Jason had another side to tell, claiming that he was jumped by men in the club. He did appear to have sustained injuries from the incident, leaving the scene with visible scratches and bruises.

The London family is not novice to getting in trouble with the law; Jason's twin, Party of Five star Jeremy London, was arrested last year for domestic battery against his wife and was required to seek treatment for prescription drug use.

In Arizona, assault is defined in A.R.S. 13-1203 as a person doing any of the following:

- -Knowingly, recklessly, or intentionally causing any physical injury to another person.
- -Knowingly touching another person with the intent to insult, provoke, or injure them.
- -Intentionally placing another person in reasonable apprehension of imminent physical injury.

Depending on which of the above actions are taken by the offender, assault can be charged as either a class 1, 2, or 3 misdemeanor in Arizona.

When people are intoxicated, they are more likely to react violently when someone insults them, whereas if that person were sober, they would have probably been able to walk away from the situation. Alcohol can make people do things and act in certain ways that they wouldn't if they were able to use their best judgment

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