

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

Act 79 of the Regular Session

1 State of Arkansas
2 85th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2005

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1203

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5 By: Representatives Boyd, D. Johnson
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS
10 FORESTRY COMMISSION TO ENFORCE CRIMINAL LAW
11 REGARDING TREES, TIMBER, AND LOGS; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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15 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW ENFORCEMENT
16 AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS FORESTRY
17 COMMISSION.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-22-301(a), concerning the law
23 enforcement authority of employees of the Arkansas Forestry Commission, is
24 amended to read as follows:

25 (a) The Arkansas Forestry Commission shall designate those employees
26 who shall have the powers of peace officers in the enforcement of the fire
27 laws, ~~the theft of property laws to the extent that they apply to theft of~~
28 ~~timber,~~ the laws pertaining to the unlawful disposal of solid waste when the
29 unlawful disposal occurs on forest land, and any criminal laws pertaining to
30 the unlawful damage, vandalism, or theft of trees, timber, logs, or personal
31 property when the personal property is used in forestry or logging
32 operations.
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35 APPROVED: 2/07/2005



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