

1 **State of Arkansas**  
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# A Bill

**HOUSE BILL**

4 **By: Representatives Wingfield, Townsend, Easley,**  
5 **Sanson, Tullis, Carter, Whorton, Horn and Steele**

## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 27-20-104(b) TO PROVIDE  
9 THAT PERSONS WHO ARE TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER  
10 SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED TO WEAR PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR WHILE  
11 OPERATING OR RIDING A MOTORCYCLE OR MOTOR-DRIVEN CYCLE;  
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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16 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 27-20-104(b) is hereby amended to read as  
17 follows:

18 "(b) All passengers and operators of motorcycles and motor-driven  
19 cycles used upon the public streets and highways of this state shall be  
20 equipped with the following equipment under standards set forth by the Office  
21 of Motor Vehicle of the State of Arkansas:

22 (1) Protective headgear unless the person is twenty-one (21) years of age  
23 or older; and

24 (2) Protective glasses, goggles, or transparent face shields."

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26 SECTION 2. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature  
27 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
28 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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30 SECTION 3. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof to  
31 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
32 other provisions or applications of the Act which can be given effect without  
33 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
34 Act are declared to be severable.

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1           SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are  
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