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4 **By: Representatives Henry, O. Miller, Moreland and Wooldridge**

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

7 REQUESTING THE JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC
8 TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY THE LAWS CONCERNING DRIVING WHILE
9 INTOXICATED TO DETERMINE THE DESIRABILITY OF REVISING
10 THOSE LAWS TO ASSURE THAT THE PURPOSES OF THE LAWS ARE
11 ACCOMPLISHED.

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13 WHEREAS, driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcoholic
14 beverages or drugs constitutes a serious threat to the safety of all citizens
15 of this state;

16 WHEREAS, the number of arrests for driving while intoxicated continues
17 to rise;

18 WHEREAS, the number of fatal accidents due to driving while intoxicated
19 also continues to rise; and

20 WHEREAS, a study needs to be conducted to determine if the driving
21 while intoxicated laws of the state are sufficient and are being strictly
22 enforced;

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24 NOW THEREFORE,

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-EIGHTH GENERAL
26 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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28 THAT the Joint Interim Committee on Public Transportation is requested
29 to conduct a study of the driving while intoxicated laws of this state to
30 determine if the laws are sufficient and are being enforced by law enforcement
31 officers and the judicial system to the fullest extent possible.

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