

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **79th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1993**  
4 **By: Representative Roberts**

# A Bill

**HOUSE BILL**

## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE TRANSPORTING OF SAND, GRAVEL, OR  
9 ROCK IN MOTOR VEHICLES OR TRAILERS WITH AN OPEN BED UNLESS  
10 THE OPEN BED IS SECURELY COVERED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

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14 ROCK IN MOTOR VEHICLES OR TRAILERS WITH AN OPEN BED UNLESS  
15 THE OPEN BED IS SECURELY COVERED."

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

19 SECTION 1. (a) No sand, gravel, rock, or other similar loose substance  
20 shall be transported on the public streets, roads, or highways of this state  
21 in a motor vehicle or trailer with an open bed unless the open bed is securely  
22 covered with a material which will prevent the load from spilling, blowing  
23 out, or otherwise escaping and being a possible source of danger for other  
24 motor vehicles.

25 (b) Any person who operates a motor vehicle in violation of this act  
26 shall be guilty of a violation and fined not less than one hundred dollars  
27 (\$100.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

29 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
30 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
31 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

33 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to  
34 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
35 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without

1 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
2 act are declared to be severable.

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4       SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
5 hereby repealed.

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