

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.

1 State of Arkansas
2 84th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2003
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2559

5 By: Representative S. Prater
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO DELEGATE AUTHORITY TO THE ARKANSAS
10 STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO REGULATE THE
11 TRANSPORTATION OF EXPLOSIVES OVER THE STATE
12 HIGHWAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 TO DELEGATE AUTHORITY TO THE STATE
15 HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO REGULATE THE
16 TRANSPORTATION OF EXPLOSIVES OVER THE
17 STATE HIGHWAYS.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-37-203 is amended to read as follows:
24 27-37-203. Vehicles transporting explosives.

25 (a) Any person operating any vehicle transporting any explosive as a
26 cargo or other dangerous articles upon a highway shall, at all times, comply
27 with the ~~provisions of~~ requirements of the regulations promulgated under this
28 section.

29 ~~(b) The vehicle shall be marked or placarded on each side and the rear~~
30 ~~with the word "EXPLOSIVES" in letters not less than eight inches (8") high,~~
31 ~~or there shall be displayed on the rear of the vehicle a red flag not less~~
32 ~~than twenty four inches (24") square marked with the word "DANGER" in white~~
33 ~~letters six inches (6") high.~~

34 ~~(c) Every vehicle shall be equipped with not less than two (2) fire~~
35 ~~extinguishers filled and ready for immediate use and placed at a convenient~~
36 ~~point on the vehicle so used.~~



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1 ~~(d)~~(b) The State Highway Commission is authorized and directed to
2 promulgate ~~such additional~~ regulations governing the transportation of
3 explosives and other dangerous articles in vehicles upon the highways as it
4 shall deem advisable for the protection of the public.

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