

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

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 853

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5 By: Senator Womack  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE  
10 COMMISSION ACT TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF ALL-  
11 TERRAIN VEHICLE AND TO INCLUDE A MOTOR SCOOTER AS  
12 A MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

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15 TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE  
16 COMMISSION ACT TO REVISE THE DEFINITION  
17 OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE AND TO INCLUDE A  
18 MOTOR SCOOTER AS A MOTOR VEHICLE.  
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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 § 23-112-103(2), concerning the definitions  
24 for the Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission Act, is amended to read as follows:

25 (2) "All-terrain vehicle" means a motor vehicle which:

26 ~~(A) Is identified on a manufacturer's certificate or statement~~  
27 ~~of origin containing a seventeen digit vehicle identification number;~~

28 ~~(B) Is designed primarily for nonhighway or all-terrain travel;~~

29 ~~(C) Travels on three (3) or more wheels;~~

30 (A)(i) Is an off-highway vehicle, fifty inches (50") or less in  
31 width, having a dry weight of eight hundred pounds (800 lbs.) or less and  
32 traveling on three (3) or more low pressure tires with ten pounds (10 lbs.)  
33 per square inch or less, with a seat designed to be straddled by the  
34 operator, a Class 1 all-terrain vehicle; or

35 (ii) Is an off-highway vehicle with a width which exceeds  
36 fifty inches (50") or having a dry weight that exceeds eight hundred pounds



1 (800 lbs.), traveling on four (4) or more low-profile, low-pressure tires  
2 with ten pounds (10 lbs.) per square inch or less and having a bench seat, a  
3 Class 2 all-terrain vehicle;

4 ~~(D)~~(B) Has a seat for the operator and any passenger and  
5 handlebars or other steering mechanism for control; and

6 ~~(E)~~(C) Is used for any purpose, including, but not limited to,  
7 off-road, amphibious, or recreational travel;

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9 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 23-112-103(18), concerning the definitions  
10 for the Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission Act, is amended to read as follows:

11 (18) "Motor vehicle" means any motor-driven vehicle having two (2) or  
12 more wheels, including, but not limited to, all-terrain vehicles,  
13 automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, motor-driven cycles, motor scooters, and  
14 motor homes;

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