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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 261

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF THREE-  
9 WHEELED, FOUR-WHEELED, AND SIX-WHEELED ALL-TERRAIN  
10 VEHICLES; TO REQUIRE VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER  
11 VERIFICATION PRIOR TO SALE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

14 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF  
15 THREE-WHEELED, FOUR-WHEELED, AND SIX-  
16 WHEELED ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES; AND TO  
17 REQUIRE VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER  
18 VERIFICATION PRIOR TO SALE.  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-14-725(b), concerning vehicle  
25 identification number verification of certain motor vehicles, is amended to  
26 read as follows:

27 (b) Vehicle identification number verification is required:

28 (1) Prior to the sale of a three-wheeled, four-wheeled, or six-  
29 wheeled all-terrain vehicle, by a person engaged in the business of selling  
30 three-wheeled, four-wheeled, or six-wheeled all-terrain vehicles; or  
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32 (2) Except as provided under subsection (h) of this section, an  
33 upon application for registration or certificate of title for a motor vehicle  
34 ~~shall be accompanied by a verification of the vehicle identification number~~  
35 if the owner of the motor vehicle:

36 ~~(1)(A)~~ Does not have a properly endorsed and assigned



1 certificate of title or manufacturer's certificate of origin and may only  
2 obtain title to the motor vehicle through:

3 ~~(A)(i)~~ A court order; or

4 ~~(B)(ii)~~ The bonded title procedure of this state as set  
5 forth under § 27-14-409(c); or

6 ~~(2)(B)~~ Presents a title or other ownership document from another  
7 state that bears any of the following designations:

8 ~~(A)(i)~~ Salvage;

9 ~~(B)(ii)~~ Prior salvage;

10 ~~(C)(iii)~~ Damaged;

11 ~~(D)(iv)~~ Prior damaged;

12 ~~(E)(v)~~ Junked;

13 ~~(F)(vi)~~ Nonrepairable; or

14 ~~(G)(vii)~~ Any other designation that is substantially  
15 similar to the designations stated in this subdivision (b)(2)(B).

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17 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 20, Subchapter 2, is  
18 amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

19 27-20-209. Vehicle identification number verification.

20 Vehicle identification number verification is required under § 27-14-  
21 725 prior to the sale of a three-wheeled, four-wheeled, or six-wheeled all-  
22 terrain vehicle.