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For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE COMPLETION OF A HUMAN TRAFFICKING PREVENTION COURSE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO REQUIRE THE COMPLETION OF A HUMAN TRAFFICKING PREVENTION COURSE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A CLASS A COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-23-108, concerning commercial driver license qualification standards, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(e) Training.

(1) A person may be issued a Class A commercial driver license only if he or she:

(A) Completes a human trafficking prevention course administered by the Department of Arkansas State Police or by third party approved by the Department of Arkansas State Police to present a human trafficking prevention course under regulations promulgated as provided in this section; or

(B) Becomes a Certified Trucker Against Trafficking by completing the online certification course offered by Truckers Against Trafficking and provides evidence of completion to the Department of Finance.
and Administration with his or her application for a commercial driver license under § 27-23-110.

(2) A person who currently holds a Class A commercial driver license must comply with this subsection when applying for renewal of the commercial driver license as required by § 27-23-111(g).

/s/C. Douglas

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