

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.

Act 556 of the Regular Session

As Engrossed: S3/4/09 S3/10/09

A Bill

1 State of Arkansas
2 87th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2009

SENATE BILL 393

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5 By: Senator Elliott
6 By: Representative Webb

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9 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

10 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO
11 MAIL CITATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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13 **Subtitle**

14 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CODE ENFORCEMENT
15 OFFICERS TO MAIL CITATIONS.

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

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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-55-601 is amended to read as follows:

21 14-55-601. Power to enforce generally.

22 (a) Bylaws and ordinances of municipal corporations may be enforced by
23 the imposition of fines, forfeitures, and penalties on any person offending
24 against or violating them.

25 (b)(1) The fine, penalty, or forfeiture may be prescribed in each
26 particular bylaw or ordinance, or by a general bylaw or ordinance made for
27 that purpose.

28 (2) Municipal corporations shall have power to provide in like
29 manner for the prosecution, recovery, and collection of the fines, penalties,
30 and forfeitures.

31 (c) Except for moving traffic violations, it is proper service for a
32 code enforcement officer to send a citation to a person charged with a
33 violation of a municipal code, ordinance, or regulation to that person's last
34 known place of residence by certified mail, return receipt requested, and
35 delivery restricted to the addressee.



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/s/ Elliott

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