

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.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1673

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5 By: Representative Adcock
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8 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE TEMPORARY CARDBOARD VEHICLE
10 BUYER'S TAGS TO BE LEGIBLE AND VISIBLE; AND FOR
11 OTHER PURPOSES.
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13 **Subtitle**

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15 BUYER'S TAGS TO BE LEGIBLE AND VISIBLE.
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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 § 27-14-1705(c) and (d), concerning temporary
21 cardboard vehicle buyer's tags, are amended to read as follows:

22 (c)(1) The dealer shall show in ink on the temporary cardboard buyer's
23 tag, so as to be clearly legible from a distance of one hundred feet (100')
24 during daylight hours, the actual date of sale and any other information
25 required by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration.

26 (2) The dealer shall be responsible for affixing the temporary
27 *cardboard buyer's tag to the vehicle as provided in this section.*

28 (3) This section places no civil or criminal liability upon the
29 dealer or any agent or employee for the motor vehicle buyer's or operator's
30 failure to comply with the terms of subsections (c) and (d) of this section.

31 (d)(1) The temporary cardboard buyer's tag under this section shall be
32 placed at the location provided for the permanent motor vehicle license
33 plate.

34 (2) Every temporary cardboard buyer's tag shall be:

35 (A) Securely fastened horizontally to the vehicle for



1 which it is issued so as to prevent the tag from swinging;

2 (B) Secured at a height of not less than twelve inches
3 (12'') from the ground, measured from the bottom of the tag;

4 (C) Secured in a place and position that is clearly
5 visible;

6 (D) Maintained free from foreign materials; and

7 (E) Maintained in a condition ensuring that the writing is
8 clearly legible.

9 (3) The placement of any type of cover over a temporary
10 cardboard buyer's tag that makes the tag more difficult to read is
11 prohibited.

12 (4) In the event a temporary cardboard buyer's tag is lost,
13 mutilated, or becomes illegible, the buyer immediately shall apply for a
14 replacement tag from the dealer, which shall expire upon the expiration date
15 of the original temporary cardboard buyer's tag.

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17 /s/ Adcock

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19 **APPROVED: 4/3/2009**