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A Bill

SENATE BILL 335

5 By: Senator Teague
6 By: Representative Powers
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO ALLOW THE USE OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES AND
10 GOLF CARTS ON ARKANSAS STATE PARKS BY A PERSON WITH A
11 DISABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AND GOLF CARTS ON ARKANSAS STATE PARKS BY
17 A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 22, Chapter 4, Subchapter 1 is amended
23 to add a new subsection to read as follows:

24 22-4-113. Use of certain vehicles by a person with a qualifying
25 disability.

26 (a) As used in this section:

27 (1) "All-terrain vehicle" has the same meaning as in § 27-21-
28 102;

29 (2) "Disability document" means:

30 (A) An Arkansas license plate beginning with the letters
31 "DV" or "DAV";

32 (B) A license plate or certificate from any state showing
33 the international symbol for drivers with disabilities and noting the word
34 "disabled" on the license plate or certificate;

35 (C) An America the Beautiful Access Pass or America the
36 Beautiful Golden Access Passport; or



1 (D) A disability document from the United States Social
2 Security Administration or United States Department of Veteran Affairs
3 establishing a determination of a mobility-based disability; and

4 (3) "Recreation use area" means:

5 (A) A campground;

6 (B) A day-use or picnic area; and

7 (C) Cabin and lodge areas.

8 (b)(1)(A) A person who has a disability document and a valid driver's
9 license may operate an all-terrain vehicle or a golf cart on roads only
10 within developed recreation use areas located within a park and recreational
11 area under the control and management of the State Parks, Recreation, and
12 Travel Commission.

13 (B) The authority to operate an all-terrain vehicle or a
14 golf cart under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section includes Arkansas
15 Highway and Transportation Department drives designated as the S.H. 600
16 series within the state parks and recreational areas.

17 (2) A person shall not operate an all-terrain vehicle or golf
18 cart from one (1) recreation use area to another.

19 (c) An all-terrain vehicle or golf cart that is operated from one-half
20 (1/2) hour after sunset and one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise or any other
21 time when there is insufficient light to render clearly discernible persons
22 at a distance of five hundred feet (500') shall have proper lights on the
23 all-terrain vehicle or golf cart.

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