

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
92nd General Assembly - Regular Session, 2019  
**Amendment Form**

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 1822

CONCERNING THE OPERATION OF AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES AT RAILROAD CROSSINGS.

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**Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 1822**

Amend House Bill No. 1822 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 9, and substitute the following:

"VEHICLES AT RAILROAD CROSSINGS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER"

AND

Page 1, delete line 15, and substitute the following:

"VEHICLES AT RAILROAD CROSSINGS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 2, delete line 30, and substitute the following:

"have railroad crossings."

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that autonomous vehicles will be operating on public streets, roads, and highways before July, 1, 2019; that there exists a potential issue with the automated driving system of autonomous vehicles in determining the appropriate dynamic driving task when approaching a railroad crossing; that railroad companies and the Arkansas Department of Transportation need to be aware of this issue and work together to resolve this potential issue for the safety of railroad and motor vehicle traffic. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."



The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_  
By: Representative Christiansen  
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