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**A Bill**

SENATE BILL 261

4 By: Senator A. Clark

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7 Filed with: Arkansas Legislative Council  
8 pursuant to A.C.A. §10-3-217.

**For An Act To Be Entitled**

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10 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF THREE-  
11 WHEELED, FOUR-WHEELED, AND SIX-WHEELED ALL-TERRAIN  
12 VEHICLES; TO REQUIRE VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER  
13 VERIFICATION PRIOR TO SALE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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**Subtitle**

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17 THREE-WHEELED, FOUR-WHEELED, AND SIX-  
18 WHEELED ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES; AND TO  
19 REQUIRE VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER  
20 VERIFICATION PRIOR TO SALE.  
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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26 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-14-725(b), concerning vehicle  
27 identification number verification of certain motor vehicles, is amended to  
28 read as follows:

29 (b) Vehicle identification number verification is required:

30 (1) Prior to the sale of a three-wheeled, four-wheeled, or six-  
31 wheeled all-terrain vehicle, by a person engaged in the business of selling  
32 three-wheeled, four-wheeled, or six-wheeled all-terrain vehicles; or  
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34 (2) Except as provided under subsection (h) of this section, an  
35 upon application for registration or certificate of title for a motor vehicle

1 ~~shall be accompanied by a verification of the vehicle identification number~~  
2 if the owner of the motor vehicle:

3           ~~(1)(A)~~ Does not have a properly endorsed and assigned  
4 certificate of title or manufacturer's certificate of origin and may only  
5 obtain title to the motor vehicle through:

6                   ~~(A)(i)~~ A court order; or

7                   ~~(B)(ii)~~ The bonded title procedure of this state as set  
8 forth under § 27-14-409(c); or

9           ~~(2)(B)~~ Presents a title or other ownership document from another  
10 state that bears any of the following designations:

11                   ~~(A)(i)~~ Salvage;

12                   ~~(B)(ii)~~ Prior salvage;

13                   ~~(C)(iii)~~ Damaged;

14                   ~~(D)(iv)~~ Prior damaged;

15                   ~~(E)(v)~~ Junked;

16                   ~~(F)(vi)~~ Nonrepairable; or

17                   ~~(G)(vii)~~ Any other designation that is substantially  
18 similar to the designations stated in this subdivision (b)(2)~~(B)~~.  
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20           SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 20, Subchapter 2, is  
21 amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

22           27-20-209. Vehicle identification number verification.

23           Vehicle identification number verification is required under § 27-14-  
24 725 prior to the sale of a three-wheeled, four-wheeled, or six-wheeled all-  
25 terrain vehicle.  
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28 Referred requested by the Arkansas Senate

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