

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Senator Scott**

A Bill

SENATE BILL

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For An Act To Be Entitled

7 "TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 27-72-302(b) TO INCREASE THE
8 MAXIMUM TOTAL MILEAGE IN THE STATE AID ROAD SYSTEM FROM
9 10,000 MILES TO 15,000 MILES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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Subtitle

12 "TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM TOTAL MILEAGE IN THE STATE AID
13 ROAD SYSTEM FROM 10,000 MILES TO 15,000 MILES."

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

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18 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 27-72-302(b) is hereby amended to read as
19 follows:

20 "(b) There is set up for designation by cooperative action of the state
21 and counties a state aid system of roads, as classified and defined in this
22 subchapter, which system shall be designated by the several county judges of
23 their respective counties with the consent and approval of the state aid
24 engineer and the State Highway Commission to a total mileage not in excess of
25 fifteen thousand (15,000) miles including any municipal streets, and initially
26 established at five thousand (5,000) miles, which five thousand (5,000) miles
27 shall include all county roads on the federal-aid secondary road system. The
28 system will periodically be expanded in one thousand-mile increments after the
29 initial five thousand-mile system has been established."

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31 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
32 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
33 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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35 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to

1 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
2 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
3 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
4 act are declared to be severable.

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6 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
7 hereby repealed.

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9 SECTION 5. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly
10 that there is an urgent need for a periodic expansion of the state aid road
11 system; that the current law limits the system to a total mileage of ten
12 thousand (10,000) miles; that this act is designed to increase the maximum
13 total mileage in the system and should be given effect immediately.

14 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this act being
15 immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
16 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and
17 approval.

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