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4 By: Senator John Brown

A Bill

SENATE BILL 242

For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 5-36-108 TO PRESCRIBE THE
CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A VEHICLE IN THE
FIRST AND SECOND DEGREE AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASED
CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR THE UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A VEHICLE IN
THE FIRST DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

"TO PRESCRIBE THE CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF
UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A VEHICLE IN THE
FIRST AND SECOND DEGREE AND TO PROVIDE
FOR AN INCREASED CRIMINAL PENALTY."

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-36-108 is amended to read as follows:
"5-36-108. Unauthorized use of a vehicle.

(a) A person commits unauthorized use of a vehicle in the first degree if he knowingly takes, operates, or exercises control over another person's vehicle by the use of force or a threat of force without consent of the owner.

(b) Unauthorized use of a vehicle in the first degree is a Class A felony.

(c) A person commits unauthorized use of a vehicle in the second degree if he knowingly takes, operates, or exercises control over another person's vehicle without consent of the owner.

(d) Unauthorized use of a vehicle in the second degree is a Class A misdemeanor."

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

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5 SECTION 3. If any provisions of this act or the application thereof to
6 any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect
7 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
8 the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this
9 act are declared to be severable.

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12 hereby repealed.

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