

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

1 State of Arkansas
2 81st General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2178

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5 By: Representative Rorie

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE DWI LAW PERTAINING TO
10 IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

13 "AN ACT TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE DWI
14 LAW PERTAINING TO IGNITION INTERLOCK
15 DEVICES."

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

19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 5-65-118(a)(1) is amended to read as follows:

20 "(a)(1) In addition to the other penalties authorized for violations of
21 this chapter, a court may, in its discretion, ~~upon finding a person~~
22 ~~financially able to afford an interlock device and~~ upon a finding of guilt or
23 a plea of guilty or nolo contendere for violating § 5-65-103, order the person
24 to operate only a motor vehicle which is equipped with a functioning ignition
25 interlock device, and this restriction may continue for a period of up to one
26 (1) year after such persons license is no longer suspended or restricted
27 under the provisions of § 5-65-104."

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

33 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
34 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
35 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
36 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this

1 act are declared to be severable.

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4 hereby repealed.

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