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A Bill

SENATE BILL 576

5 By: Senators Bradford, Gordon, Argue, Boozman, Hunter, Mahony, and Roebuck
6 By: Representatives Wilkins, Schexnayder, Johnson, Northcutt, Angel, Bond, Bush, Goodwin, Hausam, Lancaster, McGehee, Vess,
7 and Pappas
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For An Act To Be Entitled

10 "AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE § 27-37-704 REGARDING
11 INSPECTIONS FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW ON MANDATORY SEAT
12 BELT USE; *TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF VIOLATIONS OF THE SEAT*
13 *BELT LAW TO SUSPEND OR REVOKE A DRIVER LICENSE AS A*
14 *HABITUAL TRAFFIC VIOLATOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."*

Subtitle

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17 "TO REPEAL THE LAW PROHIBITING
18 INSPECTIONS FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE
19 MANDATORY SEAT BELT USE LAW."
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-37-704, regarding the inspection for
24 compliance with mandatory seat belt use, is repealed.

25 ~~27-37-704. Inspection for compliance.~~

26 ~~No motor vehicle, nor the operator of such vehicle, nor the passengers~~
27 ~~of such vehicle shall be stopped, inspected, or detained solely to determine~~
28 ~~compliance with this subchapter.~~

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30 SECTION 2. No violation of Arkansas Code § 27-37-702 shall be used or
31 accumulated by the Department of Finance and Administration to suspend or to
32 revoke the driver license of any person as a habitual violator of traffic laws
33 or in any other way under the administrative authority of the Department to
34 suspend or revoke licenses.

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36 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of general and permanent nature

1 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
2 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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4 SECTION 4. If any provisions of this act or the application thereof to
5 any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect
6 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
7 the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this
8 act are declared to be severable.

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10 SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
11 hereby repealed.

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/s/Bradford et al

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