

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2308

5 By: Representative Wood
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REVISE THE MANDATORY SEAT BELT LAW TO
10 MAKE IT COMPLY WITH PREVIOUS REVISIONS TO THE
11 CHILD PASSENGER PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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15 MAKE IT COMPLY WITH PREVIOUS REVISIONS
16 TO THE CHILD PASSENGER PROTECTION ACT.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-37-702(b), concerning the exceptions to
23 the required use of seat belts in automobiles, is amended to read as follows:

24 (b) This subchapter shall not apply to the following:

25 (1) Passenger automobiles manufactured before July 1, 1968, and
26 all other motor vehicles manufactured before January 1, 1972;

27 (2) Passengers and drivers with a physical disability which
28 contraindicates the use of a seat belt, and which condition is certified by a
29 physician who states the nature of the disability, as well as the reason the
30 use of a seat belt is inappropriate;

31 (3) Children ~~under five (5) years of age~~ who require protection
32 and are properly restrained under the Child Passenger Protection Act, § 27-
33 34-101 et seq.; and

34 (4) Drivers who are rural letter carriers of the United States
35 Postal Service while performing their duties as rural letter carriers.
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