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2	84th General Assembly	A Bill			
3	Regular Session, 2003		HOUSE BILL	2401	
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5	By: Representative Rosenba	um			
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled				
9	AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE § 23-13-253 AND §				
10	23-13-254, CONCERNING THE DUTY OF A MOTOR CARRIER				
11	ENGAGED IN INTERSTATE OR INTRASTATE COMMERCE TO				
12	FILE AN ANNUAL REPORT AND TO REPEAL THE PENALTIES				
13	FOR FAILING TO FILE THE REPORT OR FILING FALSE				
14	REPORTS	S; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.			
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16		Subtitle			
17	TO R	REPEAL ARKANSAS LAWS CONCERNING THE			
18	DUTY	OF A MOTOR CARRIER TO FILE AN			
19	ANNUAL REPORT AND TO REPEAL THE				
20	PENALTIES FOR FAILING TO FILE THE REPORT				
21	OR F	FILING FALSE REPORTS.			
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24	BE IT ENACTED BY THE	GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKAN	ISAS:		
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26	SECTION 1. Ark	ansas Code § 23-13-253 is repealed.			
27	23-13-253. Rep	orts.			
28	(a) It shall be the duty of each motor carrier or broker holding				
29	authority under this subchapter to prepare and transmit to the Arkansas				
30	Transportation Commission [abolished] an annual report on or before March 31				
31	of each year covering the next preceding calendar year ended December 31.				
32	(b) The report required by this section shall be in such form and				
33	contain such information as required by the commission which shall conform as				
34	nearly as may be consistent with the public interest to the forms prescribed				
35	by the Interstate Commerce Commission [abolished] to be rendered by motor				
36	carriers engaged in interstate or foreign commerce.				

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2	SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 23-13-254 is repealed.		
3	23-13-254. Failure to make reports - Filing false reports, accounts,		
4	records, etc.		
5	Any motor carrier or broker, or any officer, agent, employee, or		
6	representative thereof, who shall willfully fail or refuse to make a report		
7	to the Arkansas Transportation Commission [abolished] as required by this		
8	subchapter or shall knowingly and willfully file any false report, account,		
9	record, or memorandum shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon		
10	conviction shall be subject for each offense to a fine of not less than one		
11	hundred dollars (\$100) and not more than five hundred dollars (\$500).		
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