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.

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By: Representative Bolin

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO ENABLE THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO
IMPROVE THE INTERSTATE HIGHWAYS AND STATE
HIGHWAYS BY PROVIDING ADDITIONAL FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

THE ARKANSAS HIGHWAY FINANCING ACT.

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

SECTION 1. This act shall be known as the "Arkansas Highway Financing Act".

SECTION 2. Legislative findings and intent.
The General Assembly finds that:
(1) There is an immediate need for highway improvements throughout the State of Arkansas in order to provide for the health, safety, and welfare of its citizens and to promote economic development within the state;
(2) Through the revenues generated under the Arkansas Highway Financing Act of 1999, § 27-64-201 et. seq., the State Highway Commission has been successful in completing the rehabilitation of much of the state's highway system and that the rehabilitation has been carried out in an efficient, cost-effective manner; and
(3) There is a need for additional revenues to be generated to enable the State Highway Commission to continue to improve the interstate and state highways in the State of Arkansas.
SECTION 3. The purpose of this act is to enable the State Highway Commission to improve the interstate highways and state highways by providing additional funding.

