

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  
2 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1579

5 By: Representative Wills  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING SPEED LIMITS AND TRAFFIC-  
9 CONTROL DEVICES ON COUNTY ROADS; AND FOR OTHER  
10 PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

12 CONCERNING SPEED LIMITS AND TRAFFIC-  
13 CONTROL DEVICES ON COUNTY ROADS.  
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 51, Subchapter 2 is amended  
21 to add an additional section to read as follows:

22 27-51-215. Speed limits and traffic-control devices on county roads -  
23 Penalty.

24 (a) As used in this section, "county road" means a public road that is  
25 not a state highway, interstate highway, or city street within the  
26 jurisdiction of a given county.

27 (b)(1) Each county judge may establish speed limits on county roads  
28 within the jurisdictional boundaries of his or her county.

29 (2) If a county judge has not established a speed limit on a  
30 county road within the jurisdictional boundaries of his or her county, then  
31 the speed limit shall be forty (40) miles per hour on the county road.

32 (c)(1) A person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or is found  
33 guilty of a violation of a speed limit on a county road established by a  
34 county judge or as provided under this section shall be assessed a penalty as  
35 provided under § 27-50-305.

36 (2)(A) A person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or is



1 found guilty of speeding in excess of fifteen (15) miles per hour over the  
2 posted speed limit on a county road established by a county judge or as  
3 provided under this section is guilty of a Class C misdemeanor.

4 (d) A traffic-control device that is erected on a county road shall  
5 conform to the uniform manual on traffic-control devices adopted by the State  
6 Highway Commission.

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