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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2192

By: Representative Sanders

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO INTERMEDIATE
LICENSES, LEARNER'S LICENSES, AND INSTRUCTION PERMITS
ISSUED TO BEGINNING DRIVERS WHO ARE YOUNGER THAN
EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO INTERMEDIATE
LICENSES ISSUED TO BEGINNING DRIVERS WHO
ARE YOUNGER THAN EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF
AGE.

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

*SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-16-804(g)(1)(E), regarding restricted
licenses, learner's licenses, and intermediate licenses, is amended to read
as follows:*

*(E)(i) A Except as provided under subdivision
(g)(1)(E)(iii) of this section, a driver with an intermediate driver's
license shall not operate a motor vehicle on public streets or highways with
more than one (1) unrelated minor passenger in the motor vehicle unless the
driver is accompanied by a licensed driver who is twenty-one (21) years of
age or older and who is occupying the front passenger seat of the motor
vehicle.*

*(ii) As used in this section, "unrelated minor
passenger" means a passenger who is under twenty-one (21) years of age and
who is not:*

(a) A sibling of the driver;



1 (b) A step-sibling of the driver; or
2 (c) A child who resides in the same household
3 as the driver.

4 (iii) A driver with an intermediate driver's license
5 may operate a motor vehicle on public streets and highways without the
6 passenger limitation described under subdivision (g)(1)(E)(i) of this section
7 if the driver is driving to or from a school activity or a church-related
8 activity.

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10 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-16-701(d)(8)(A), concerning an
11 application for license or instruction permit and restricted permits, is
12 amended to read as follows:

13 (8)(A) An acknowledgment signed by the applicant for an
14 intermediate driver's license that the applicant shall not operate a motor
15 vehicle on public streets or highways with more than one (1) unrelated minor
16 passenger in the motor vehicle unless:

17 (i) ~~the~~ The applicant is accompanied by a licensed
18 driver who is twenty-one (21) years of age or older; or

19 (ii) The applicant is driving to or from a school
20 activity or a church-related activity.

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