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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2192

5 By: Representative Sanders
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO INTERMEDIATE
9 *LICENSES*, ISSUED TO BEGINNING DRIVERS WHO ARE *YOUNGER*
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 *SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-16-804(g)(1)(E), regarding restricted*
24 *licenses, learner's licenses, and intermediate licenses, is amended to read*
25 *as follows:*

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

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

36 *(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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22 /s/Sanders
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