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A Bill

SENATE BILL 1133

5 By: Senator J. Hutchinson
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR THE OFFENSE OF
9 DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED, SIXTH OR SUBSEQUENT
10 OFFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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13 CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR THE OFFENSE
14 OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED, SIXTH OR
15 SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-65-111(b)(4)(A)(i), concerning the
22 penalties for a fifth or subsequent offense of driving while intoxicated, is
23 amended to read as follows:

24 (4)(A)(i) ~~For~~ Except as provided in § 5-65-122, for at least two
25 (2) years but no more than ten (10) years for the fifth or subsequent offense
26 occurring within five (5) years of the first offense or not less than two (2)
27 years of community service and is guilty of ~~a~~ an unclassified felony.
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29 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-65-112(3), concerning the fines for a
30 third or subsequent offense of driving while intoxicated, is amended to read
31 as follows:

32 (3) ~~No~~ Except as provided in § 5-65-122, no less than nine hundred
33 dollars (\$900) and no more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for the third
34 or subsequent offense occurring within five (5) years of the first offense.
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36 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 65, Subchapter 1, is amended



1 to add a new section to read as follows:

2 5-65-122. Driving while intoxicated - Sixth or subsequent offense.

3 (a) A sixth of subsequent offense of violating § 5-65-103 is a Class B
4 felony.

5 (b) The following are considered a prior offense for purposes of
6 subsection (a) of this section:

7 (1) A prior conviction for violation of a penal law of another
8 state, federal, or foreign jurisdiction that is equivalent to § 5-65-103; or

9 (2) A prior conviction for § 5-10-105(a)(1)(A) or (B).

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