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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1446

By: Representative Payton

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN DEFINITIONS USED IN THE
UNIFORM MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION, CERTIFICATE OF
TITLE, AND ANTITHEFT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND CERTAIN DEFINITIONS USED IN THE
UNIFORM MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION,
CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, AND ANTITHEFT ACT.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-14-2301(7), concerning the definition of "water-damaged" used in disclosure of damage and repair on a certificate of title, is amended to read as follows:

(7) "Water-damaged" means ~~damage to a motor vehicle caused by submerging or partially submerging the motor vehicle in water to the extent that the motor vehicle was submerged or partially submerged at any water level above the dashboard of the motor vehicle, regardless of the actual dollar amount of the damage~~ a motor vehicle damaged by water that:

(A) Rose to the point that it saturated or contaminated the instrument panel fuse box; or

(B) Saturated or contaminated an electronic or electrical component necessary for the safe and reliable operation of the motor vehicle.

