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A Bill

SENATE BILL 771

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN EXPEDITED MOTOR VEHICLE TITLE
9 PROCESSING SERVICE; TO AUTHORIZE THE IMPOSITION OF AN
10 ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THE EXPEDITED MOTOR VEHICLE TITLE
11 PROCESSING SERVICE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING
12 CERTAIN TITLE FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

16 TO ESTABLISH AN EXPEDITED MOTOR VEHICLE
17 TITLE PROCESSING SERVICE AND TO AUTHORIZE
18 THE IMPOSITION OF AN ADDITIONAL FEE; AND
19 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN TITLE
20 FEES.

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

25 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 19-6-301, concerning the enumeration of
26 special revenues, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as
27 follows:

28 (255) Fees collected under § 27-14-705(e)(2).

30 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 19-6-459 is amended to read as follows:
31 19-6-459. Commercial Driver License Fund.

32 The Commercial Driver License Fund shall consist of those special
33 revenues as specified in:

34 (1) § Section 19-6-301(148), there to be used to establish and
35 maintain the Arkansas Commercial Driver License ~~program~~ Program and for other
36 related purposes as required by the ~~Commissioner of Motor Vehicles~~ Director



1 of the Department of Finance and Administration in carrying out the
2 functions, powers, and duties of the Revenue Division of the Department of
3 Finance and Administration, as set out in the Arkansas Uniform Commercial
4 Driver License Act, § 27-23-101 et seq.; and

5 (2) Section 19-6-301(255), to be used for system enhancements,
6 including without limitation for motor vehicle, commercial motor carriers, or
7 driver's license.

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9 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 27-14-705, concerning the application for
10 registration and certificate of title, is amended to add an additional
11 subsection to read as follows:

12 (e)(1) As used in this section, "expedited title processing service"
13 means the expedited review of an applicant's application for certificate of
14 title.

15 (2) The Office of Motor Vehicle may provide an expedited title
16 processing service for a motor vehicle subject to registration and issuance
17 of a certificate of title under this chapter upon:

18 (A) The request of the applicant; and

19 (B) Payment of an expedited service fee in the amount of
20 twenty dollars (\$20.00) in addition to the specified title application fees
21 required under subsection (c) of this section.

22 (3) An expedited title processing service request:

23 (A) Shall be made in person by the applicant at the
24 Central Revenue Office located in Little Rock, Arkansas;

25 (B) Shall require that an applicant submit all the
26 required registration forms and payment of the certificate of title
27 application fees and expedited title processing service fee at the time of
28 application; and

29 (C) Shall not guarantee the issuance of a certificate of
30 title.

31 (4) The expedited title processing service fee collected under
32 subdivision (e)(2) of this section shall be deposited to the credit of the
33 Revenue Division of the Department of Finance and Administration in the
34 Commercial Driver License Fund to be used for system enhancements, including
35 without limitation for motor vehicle, commercial motor carriers, or driver's
36 license.

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SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 27-14-727(c)(3), concerning the submission of a request for certificate of title with beneficiary, is amended to read as follows:

(3) The owner shall include the following with the application:

(A) The certificate of title for the vehicle issued under this chapter;

(B) The certificate of title application fee ~~of four dollars (\$4.00)~~ as provided under § 27-14-705(c) and the certificate of title fee under § 27-14-602(b); and

(C) The certificate of title with beneficiary processing fee of ten dollars (\$10.00).

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after November 13, 2017.