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A Bill

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS FOR
9 ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HIGHWAY
10 MAINTENANCE VEHICLES AND SERVICE EQUIPMENT; AND FOR
11 OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
17 HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE VEHICLES AND SERVICE
18 EQUIPMENT.
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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 § 5-77-201(b), concerning the unlawful
24 possession, purchase, sale, or transfer of a blue light or blue lens cap, is
25 amended to read as follows:

26 (b) Before selling a blue light or blue lens cap, the seller shall
27 require the buyer to provide identification that legally demonstrates that
28 the buyer is:

29 (1) a law enforcement officer;

30 (2) An auxiliary law enforcement officer;~~or;~~

31 (3) a county coroner; or

32 (4) The Director of State Highways and Transportation or his or
33 her designee as authorized by § 27-36-305(c).
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35 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-36-305, concerning lighting requirements
36 for other emergency vehicles, is amended to add an additional subsection to



1 read as follows:

2 (c) In addition to the lights authorized by subsection (a) of this
3 section, the Arkansas Department of Transportation may by rule adopt
4 standards and specifications for lighting requirements that permit the use of
5 blue flashing or rotating emergency or warning lights for identification
6 purposes on highway maintenance vehicles and service equipment.

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