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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1370

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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

15 TO AMEND THE LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS FOR  
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 rear-facing blue flashing or rotating emergency or warning lights for  
6 identification purposes on highway maintenance vehicles and service  
7 equipment.

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