

State of Arkansas  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1412

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By: Senator Stone

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO CLARIFY REGULATION OF PIPELINE SAFETY  
AUTHORIZATION FOR TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS LIQUIDS  
OR CARBON DIOXIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO CLARIFY REGULATION OF PIPELINE SAFETY  
AUTHORIZATION FOR TRANSPORTATION OF  
HAZARDOUS LIQUIDS OR CARBON DIOXIDE.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 15-71-110(d), concerning the powers and duties of the Oil and Gas Commission, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(20) To take the following actions related to pipeline facilities used in the transportation of hazardous liquids or carbon dioxide:

(A) Submit a satisfactory state certification;

(B) Promulgate rules required by the United States Department of Transportation Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration to assume authority over national safety standards and reporting requirements; and

(C) Upon receiving certification, administer and enforce the standards and requirements.

APPROVED: 2/25/25

