

# ARKANSAS SENATE

81st GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
Regular Session, 1997

## Amendment Form

Amendment No. \_\_\_\_\_ to HOUSE Bill No. 1537

Amend HOUSE Bill No. 1537 as engrossed 03-19-97  
by

deleting in the Title on lines 10 and 11 of page 1 "MOTORBOAT OF MORE THAN FIFTY HORSEPOWER" and substituting therefor the new language "PERSONAL WATERCRAFT";

AND

by deleting in the Subtitle on lines 15 and 16 of page 1 "MOTORBOAT OF MORE THAN FIFTY HORSEPOWER" and substituting therefor the new language "PERSONAL WATERCRAFT";

AND

by deleting everything on line 22 of page 1 and substituting therefor the new language "personal watercraft unless the personal watercraft is";

AND

by deleting on line 27 of page 1 the word "motorboat" and substituting therefor the words "personal watercraft";

AND

by deleting on line 32 of page 1 the language "motorboat of more than fifty

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horsepower (50 HP)" and substituting therefor the words "personal watercraft";

AND

by deleting on line 36 of page 1 and line 1 of page 2 the language "motorboat of more than fifty horsepower (50 HP)" and substituting therefor the words "personal watercraft";

AND

by deleting on lines 4 and 5 of page 2 the language "motorboat of more than fifty horsepower (50 HP)" and substituting therefor the words "personal watercraft";

AND

by deleting everything in SECTION 4. on lines 21 through 24 of page 2 and substituting a new SECTION 4. as follows:

"SECTION 4. When the operator of any personal watercraft is involved in an accident on the waters of this state and the personal watercraft is found not to be insured as required by this act, the owner of the personal watercraft shall be deemed guilty of a Class A misdemeanor. "

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AND

by deleting on line 36 of page 2 the language "more than fifty horsepower (50 HP)" and substituting therefor the new language "it is a personal watercraft";

AND

by deleting on line 5 of page 3 the language "more than fifty horsepower (50 HP)" and substituting therefor the new language "it is a personal watercraft";

AND

by inserting on line 24 of page 3 a new SECTION 6. as follows:

"SECTION 6. Subsection (g) of Arkansas Code § 27-101-306, regarding the renewal of certificates of numbers for motorboats; is amended to read as follows:

"(g) Certificates of number may be renewed by the owner in the same manner provided in this section for initially securing the certificate and upon payment of the fee as set forth in this section, except the certificate of a motorboat, if it is a personal watercraft, shall not be renewed unless proof is presented that it is covered by a liability insurance policy issued by an insurance company authorized to do business in this state.";

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by renumbering subsequent SECTIONs appropriately.

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