

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 771

By: Senator B. Sample
By: Representative Lynch

For An Act To Be Entitled

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

Subtitle

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

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

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

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

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

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

(1) § Section 19-6-301(148), ~~there~~ to be used to establish and maintain the Arkansas Commercial Driver License ~~program~~ Program and for other



related purposes as required by the ~~Commissioner of Motor Vehicles~~ Director of the Department of Finance and Administration in carrying out the functions, powers, and duties of the Revenue Division of the Department of Finance and Administration, as set out in the Arkansas Uniform Commercial Driver License Act, § 27-23-101 et seq.; and

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

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

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

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

(A) The request of the applicant; and

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

(3) An expedited title processing service request:

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

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

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

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

license.

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.

/s/B. Sample