

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

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 503

By: Senator J. Petty
By: Representative Pearce

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OBSTRUCTION OF
TRAFFIC AT AN INTERSECTION BY A MOTOR VEHICLE; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE
OBSTRUCTION OF TRAFFIC AT AN INTERSECTION
BY A MOTOR VEHICLE.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 51, Subchapter 5, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

27-51-504. Obstructing traffic at intersection.

Notwithstanding the indication of a traffic control signal permitting a motor vehicle to proceed, a driver of a motor vehicle shall not enter an intersection when vehicular traffic is stopped on the:

(1) Opposite side of the intersection unless there is adequate space to accommodate the motor vehicle; or

(2) Traffic lane in which the driver intends to turn onto unless there is adequate space to accommodate the motor vehicle.

