

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to off-highway vehicles; amending ss.  
 3           261.03 and 317.0003, F.S.; revising the definitions of  
 4           the terms "ATV" and "ROV" for purposes of provisions  
 5           relating to registration and use of off-highway  
 6           vehicles; providing an effective date.

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 8   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 10           Section 1. Subsections (2) and (8) of section 261.03,  
 11   Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

12           261.03 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

13           (2) "ATV" means any motorized off-highway or all-terrain  
 14   vehicle 50 inches or less in width, which has ~~having~~ a dry  
 15   weight of 1,200 pounds or less, is designed to travel on three  
 16   or more nonhighway tires, and is manufactured for recreational  
 17   use by one or more persons ~~having a seat designed to be~~  
 18   ~~straddled by the operator and handlebars for steering control,~~  
 19   ~~and intended for use by a single operator with no passenger.~~

20           (8) "ROV" means any motorized recreational off-highway  
 21   vehicle 65 ~~64~~ inches or less in width, which has ~~having~~ a dry  
 22   weight of 2,000 pounds or less, is designed to travel on four or  
 23   more nonhighway tires, ~~having nonstraddle seating and a steering~~  
 24   ~~wheel,~~ and is manufactured for recreational use by one or more  
 25   persons. The term "ROV" does not include a golf cart as defined  
 26   in ss. 320.01 and 316.003(68) or a low-speed vehicle as defined

27 in s. 320.01.

28 Section 2. Subsections (1) and (9) of section 317.0003,  
 29 Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

30 317.0003 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

31 (1) "ATV" means any motorized off-highway or all-terrain  
 32 vehicle 50 inches or less in width, which has ~~having~~ a dry  
 33 weight of 1,200 pounds or less, is designed to travel on three  
 34 or more nonhighway tires, and is manufactured for recreational  
 35 use by one or more persons ~~having a seat designed to be~~  
 36 ~~straddled by the operator and handlebars for steering control,~~  
 37 ~~and intended for use by a single operator and with no passenger.~~

38 (9) "ROV" means any motorized recreational off-highway  
 39 vehicle 65 ~~64~~ inches or less in width, which has ~~having~~ a dry  
 40 weight of 2,000 pounds or less, is designed to travel on four or  
 41 more nonhighway tires, ~~having nonstraddle seating and a steering~~  
 42 ~~wheel,~~ and is manufactured for recreational use by one or more  
 43 persons. The term "ROV" does not include a golf cart as defined  
 44 in ss. 320.01 and 316.003(68) or a low-speed vehicle as defined  
 45 in s. 320.01.

46 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014.