

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 437

BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1
2 RELATING TO THE MOTORBIKE RECREATION ACCOUNT; AMENDING SECTION 67-7127,
3 IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR REMITTANCE OF FUNDS FROM THE MOTORBIKE RECRE-
4 ATION ACCOUNT TO COUNTIES WITH AN OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE PROGRAM AND TO
5 PROVIDE WHAT THOSE FUNDS MAY BE USED FOR AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORREC-
6 TIONS.

7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

8 SECTION 1. That Section 67-7127, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby
9 amended to read as follows:

10 67-7127. USE OF MONEYS IN ACCOUNT. The board shall administer the mo-
11 torbike recreation account. The moneys derived from this account shall be
12 used as follows:

13 (1) Each county with a bona fide off-highway vehicle (OHV) program
14 shall be entitled to receive from the department eighty-five percent (85%)
15 of the moneys generated from that county during the certificate of number
16 period. Purchasers of OHV stickers may designate the county to receive the
17 funds. Moneys may be used to grant match or for staff and maintenance equip-
18 ment. For counties with a single-track ATV/UTV program, moneys may be used
19 for a trail maintenance agreement with the U.S. forest service, trailheads
20 with restrooms and loading ramps, comprehensive trail mapping systems, a
21 strategic trail maintenance program, organized rides and potential trail
22 maintenance and development programs with other counties, and development
23 of: an OHV park, RV park and hookups, education and training area and a des-
24 ignated kids "safe ride" area.

25 (2) Remaining moneys in the account may be used:

26 (1a) For the securing of special leases or permits, or for the actual
27 purchase of land under private, state or federal ownership to be used
28 for recreational off-highway vehicle activity;

29 (2b) For the securing, maintenance, construction or development of
30 trails and other recreational facilities for off-highway vehicle use on
31 state and federal lands;

32 (3c) To finance the formulation and implementation under the board's
33 direction of an off-the-road rider education program;

34 (4d) To acquire applicable federal matching funds.