ARKANSAS

CONSUMER FIREWORKS

Specifically permitted
Roman candles, skyrockets, helicopter rockets, cylindrical and cone fountains, wheels, torches, colored fire, dipped sticks, mines and shells, firecrackers with soft casings, and novelties (size limitations specified.)

Selling period
June 20-July 10 and December 10-January 5 (Snakes and sparklers permitted all year.)

Age to purchase
12 years

DISPLAY FIREWORKS

Display Permit
Apply to Director of State Police at least 2 days before display date. Prior approval by local authorities required.

Insurance
Proof of liability

Operator
Shooters license required.

LICENSING

Display must be performed in accordance with NFPA Standard 1123.

Annual licenses required. Apply to Director of State Police before April 1. Valid May 1-April 30. Non-residents must have license to do business in state. Retailer may purchase license from supplier, who must report to the director of state police semi-annually (January 31 and July 31.) Minimum age 21 years.

Manufacturer  $ 1,000
Importer  $ 750
Distributor  $ 500
Wholesaler  $ 100
Retail (per outlet)  $ 25
Shooter  $ 50
Public Display  $ 25

ENFORCING AUTHORITY

Commander, Fire Marshal’s Office
Arkansas State Police
1 State Police Plaza Drive
Little Rock, AR  72209
501-221-8258
www.asp.state.ar.us/pl/fm.html

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