

HOUSE \_\_\_\_\_ AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 829,  
Page 10, Section 217.045, Line 10, by inserting after all of said line the following:

“301.147. 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.020 to the contrary, beginning July 1, 2000, the director of revenue may provide owners of motor vehicles, other than commercial motor vehicles licensed in excess of twelve thousand pounds gross weight, the option of biennially registering motor vehicles. Any vehicle manufactured as an even-numbered model year vehicle shall be renewed each even-numbered calendar year and any such vehicle manufactured as an odd-numbered model year vehicle shall be renewed each odd-numbered calendar year, subject to the following requirements:

(1) The fee collected at the time of biennial registration shall include the annual registration fee plus a pro rata amount for the additional twelve months of the biennial registration;

(2) Presentation of all documentation otherwise required by law for vehicle registration including, but not limited to, a personal property tax receipt or certified statement for the preceding year that no such taxes were due as set forth in section 301.025, proof of a motor vehicle safety inspection and any applicable emission inspection conducted within sixty days prior to the date of application and proof of insurance as required by section 303.026, RSMo.

2. The director of revenue may prescribe rules and regulations for the effective administration of this section. The director is authorized to adopt those rules that are reasonable and necessary to accomplish the limited duties specifically delegated within this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, RSMo, that is promulgated pursuant to the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter 536, RSMo. This section and chapter 536, RSMo, are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536, RSMo, to review, to delay the effective date or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after July 1, 2000, shall be invalid and void.

3. The director of revenue shall have the authority to stagger the registration period of motor vehicles other than commercial motor vehicles licensed in excess of twelve thousand

1 pounds gross weight. Once the owner of a motor vehicle chooses the option of biennial  
2 registration, such registration must be maintained for the full twenty-four month period.

3 4. Notwithstanding any provision of section 301.020, this section, or any other provision  
4 of law to the contrary, the director of revenue may provide owners of motor vehicles with a gross  
5 weight exceeding twenty thousand pounds, other than commercial vehicles, the option of  
6 triennially registering motor vehicles.

7 301.227. 1. Whenever a vehicle is sold for salvage, dismantling or rebuilding, the  
8 purchaser shall forward to the director of revenue within ten days the certificate of ownership or  
9 salvage certificate of title and the proper application and fee of eight dollars and fifty cents, and  
10 the director shall issue a negotiable salvage certificate of title to the purchaser of the salvaged  
11 vehicle. On vehicles purchased during a year that is no more than six years after the  
12 manufacturer's model year designation for such vehicle, it shall be mandatory that the purchaser  
13 apply for a salvage title. On vehicles purchased during a year that is more than six years after the  
14 manufacturer's model year designation for such vehicle, then application for a salvage title shall  
15 be optional on the part of the purchaser. Whenever a vehicle is sold for destruction and a salvage  
16 certificate of title, junking certificate, or certificate of ownership exists, the seller, if licensed  
17 under sections 301.217 to 301.221, shall forward the certificate to the director of revenue within  
18 ten days, with the notation of the date sold for destruction and the name of the purchaser clearly  
19 shown on the face of the certificate.

20 2. Whenever a vehicle is classified as "junk", as defined in section 301.010, the purchaser  
21 may forward to the director of revenue the salvage certificate of title or certificate of ownership  
22 and the director shall issue a negotiable junking certificate to the purchaser of the vehicle. The  
23 director may also issue a junking certificate to a possessor of a vehicle manufactured twenty-six  
24 years or more prior to the current model year who has a bill of sale for said vehicle but does not  
25 possess a certificate of ownership, provided no claim of theft has been made on the vehicle and  
26 the highway patrol has by letter stated the vehicle is not listed as stolen after checking the  
27 registration number through its nationwide computer system. Such certificate may be granted  
28 within thirty days of the submission of a request.

29 3. Upon receipt of a properly completed application for a junking certificate, the director  
30 of revenue shall issue to the applicant a junking certificate which shall authorize the holder to  
31 possess, transport, or, by assignment, transfer ownership in such parts, scrap or junk, and a  
32 certificate of title shall not again be issued for such vehicle; except that, the initial purchaser shall,  
33 within ninety days, be allowed to rescind his application for a junking certificate by surrendering  
34 the junking certificate and apply for a salvage certificate of title in his name. The seller of a  
35 vehicle for which a junking certificate has been applied for or issued shall disclose such fact in  
36 writing to any prospective buyers before sale of such vehicle; otherwise the sale shall be voidable

1 at the option of the buyer.

2 4. No scrap metal operator shall acquire or purchase a motor vehicle or parts thereof  
3 without, at the time of such acquisition, receiving the original certificate of title or salvage  
4 certificate of title or junking certificate from the seller of the vehicle or parts, unless the seller is a  
5 licensee under sections 301.219 to 301.221.

6 5. All titles and certificates required to be received by scrap metal operators from  
7 nonlicensees shall be forwarded by the operator to the director of revenue within ten days of the  
8 receipt of the vehicle or parts.

9 6. The scrap metal operator shall keep a record, for three years, of the seller's name and  
10 address, the salvage business license number of the licensee, date of purchase, and any vehicle or  
11 parts identification numbers open for inspection as provided in section 301.225.

12 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, a motor vehicle dealer as defined  
13 in section 301.550 and licensed under the provisions of sections 301.550 to 301.572 may  
14 negotiate one reassignment of a salvage certificate of title on the back thereof.

15 8. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 of this section, an insurance company  
16 which settles a claim for a stolen vehicle may apply for and shall be issued a negotiable salvage  
17 certificate of title without the payment of any fee upon proper application within thirty days after  
18 settlement of the claim for such stolen vehicle. However, if the insurance company upon recovery  
19 of a stolen vehicle determines that the stolen vehicle has not sustained damage to the extent that  
20 the vehicle would have otherwise been declared a salvage vehicle pursuant to subdivision (51) of  
21 section 301.010, then the insurance company may have the vehicle inspected by the Missouri state  
22 highway patrol, or other law enforcement agency authorized by the director of revenue, in  
23 accordance with the inspection provisions of subsection 9 of section 301.190. Upon receipt of  
24 title application, applicable fee, the completed inspection, and the return of any previously issued  
25 negotiable salvage certificate, the director shall issue an original title with no salvage or prior  
26 salvage designation. Upon the issuance of an original title the director shall remove any  
27 indication of the negotiable salvage title previously issued to the insurance company from the  
28 department's electronic records.

29 9. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the owner of a vehicle for which  
30 a junking certificate has been issued may petition the circuit court in the county in which the  
31 vehicle is registered to void the junking certificate and issue a salvage title for the vehicle.”; and  
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33 Further amend said bill, Page 13, Section 303.025, Line 40, by inserting after all of said section  
34 and line the following:

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36 “306.127. 1. [Beginning January 1, 2005,] Every person born after January 1, 1984, or as

1 required pursuant to section 306.128, who operates a vessel on the lakes of this state shall possess,  
2 on the vessel, a boating safety identification card issued by the Missouri state water patrol or its  
3 agent, or a Missouri driver's license or nondriver's license with an endorsement, which shows that  
4 he or she has:

5 (1) Successfully completed a boating safety course approved by the National Association  
6 of State Boating Law Administrators and certified by the Missouri state water patrol. The boating  
7 safety course may include a course sponsored by the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary or the  
8 United States Power Squadron. The Missouri state water patrol may appoint agents to administer  
9 a boater education course or course equivalency examination and issue boater identification cards  
10 under guidelines established by the water patrol. The Missouri state water patrol shall maintain a  
11 list of approved courses; or

12 (2) Successfully passed an equivalency examination prepared by the Missouri state water  
13 patrol and administered by the Missouri state water patrol or its agent. The equivalency  
14 examination shall have a degree of difficulty equal to, or greater than, that of the examinations  
15 given at the conclusion of an approved boating safety course; or

16 (3) A valid master's, mate's, or operator's license issued by the United States Coast Guard.

17 2. The Missouri state water patrol or its agent shall issue a permanent boating safety  
18 identification card to each person who complies with the requirements of this section which is  
19 valid for life unless invalidated pursuant to law.

20 3. The Missouri state water patrol may charge a fee for such card or any replacement card  
21 that does not substantially exceed the costs of administering this section. The Missouri state  
22 water patrol or its designated agent shall collect such fees. These funds shall be forwarded to  
23 general revenue.

24 4. The provisions of this section shall not apply to any person who:

25 (1) Is licensed by the United States Coast Guard to serve as master of a vessel;

26 (2) Operates a vessel only on a private lake or pond that is not classified as waters of the  
27 state;

28 (3) [Until January 1, 2006, is a nonresident who is visiting the state for sixty days or less;

29 (4)] Is participating in an event or regatta approved by the water patrol;

30 [(5)] (4) Is a nonresident who has proof of a valid boating certificate or license issued by  
31 another state if the boating course is approved by the National Association of State Boating Law  
32 Administrators (NASBLA);

33 [(6)] (5) Is exempted by rule of the water patrol;

34 [(7)] (6) Is currently serving in any branch of the United States armed forces, reserves, or  
35 Missouri national guard, or any spouse of a person currently in such service; or

36 [(8)] (7) Has previously successfully completed a boating safety education course

1 approved by the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA).

2 5. [The Missouri state water patrol shall inform other states of the requirements of this  
3 section.

4 6.] No individual shall be detained or stopped strictly for the purpose of checking whether  
5 the individual possesses a boating safety identification card or a temporary boater education  
6 permit.

7 [7. Beginning January 1, 2006,] 6. Any nonresident born after January 1, 1984, desiring  
8 to operate a rental vessel on the lakes of this state[,] may obtain a temporary boater education  
9 permit by completing and passing a written examination developed by the Missouri state water  
10 patrol, provided the person meets the minimum age requirements for operating a vessel in this  
11 state. The Missouri state water patrol is authorized to promulgate rules for developing the  
12 examination and any requirements necessary for issuance of the temporary boater education  
13 permit. The temporary boater education permit shall expire when the nonresident obtains a  
14 permanent identification card pursuant to subsection 2 of this section or thirty days after issuance,  
15 whichever occurs first. The Missouri state water patrol may charge a fee not to exceed ten dollars  
16 for such temporary permit. Upon successful completion of an examination and prior to renting a  
17 vessel, the business entity responsible for giving the examination shall collect such fee and  
18 forward all collected fees to the Missouri state water patrol on a monthly basis for deposit in the  
19 state general revenue fund. Such business entity shall incur no additional liability in accepting the  
20 responsibility for administering the examination. [This subsection shall terminate on December  
21 31, 2010.]

22 306.532. Beginning January 1, 2011, the certificate of title for a new outboard motor shall  
23 designate the year the outboard motor was manufactured as the "Year Manufactured" and shall  
24 further designate the year the dealer received the new outboard motor from the manufacturer as  
25 the "Model Year-NEW"."; and

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27 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
28 accordingly.