

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered By \_\_\_\_\_

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231, Page 4, Section 142.815, Line 111, by  
2 inserting immediately after said line the following:  
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4 "142.869. 1. The tax imposed by this chapter shall not apply to passenger motor vehicles, buses as  
5 defined in section 301.010, or commercial motor vehicles registered in this state which are powered by  
6 alternative fuel, and for which a valid decal has been acquired as provided in this section, provided that sales  
7 made to alternative fueled vehicles powered by compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas that do not  
8 meet the requirements of subsection 3 of this section shall be taxed exclusively pursuant to subdivisions (4)  
9 and (5) of subsection 1 of section 142.803, respectively. The owners or operators of such motor vehicles,  
10 except plug-in electric hybrids, shall, in lieu of the tax imposed by section 142.803, pay an annual alternative  
11 fuel decal fee as follows: seventy-five dollars on each passenger motor vehicle, school bus as defined in  
12 section 301.010, and commercial motor vehicle with a licensed gross vehicle weight of eighteen thousand  
13 pounds or less; one hundred dollars on each motor vehicle with a licensed gross weight in excess of eighteen  
14 thousand pounds but not more than thirty-six thousand pounds used for farm or farming transportation  
15 operations and registered with a license plate designated with the letter "F"; one hundred fifty dollars on each  
16 motor vehicle with a licensed gross vehicle weight in excess of eighteen thousand pounds but less than or  
17 equal to thirty-six thousand pounds, and each passenger-carrying motor vehicle subject to the registration fee  
18 provided in sections 301.059, 301.061 and 301.063; two hundred fifty dollars on each motor vehicle with a  
19 licensed gross weight in excess of thirty-six thousand pounds used for farm or farming transportation  
20 operations and registered with a license plate designated with the letter "F"; and one thousand dollars on each  
21 motor vehicle with a licensed gross vehicle weight in excess of thirty-six thousand pounds. Owners or  
22 operators of plug-in electric hybrids shall pay one-half of the stated annual alternative fuel decal fee.  
23 Notwithstanding provisions of this section to the contrary, motor vehicles licensed as historic under section  
24 301.131 which are powered by alternative fuel shall be exempt from both the tax imposed by this chapter and  
25 the alternative fuel decal requirements of this section. For the purposes of this section, a plug-in electric  
26 hybrid shall be any hybrid vehicle model year 2016 or newer made by a manufacturer, that has not been  
27 modified from the original manufacturer specifications, with an internal combustion engine and batteries that  
28 can be recharged by connecting a plug to an electric power source.

29 2. Except interstate fuel users and vehicles licensed under a reciprocity agreement as defined in  
30 section 142.617, the tax imposed by section 142.803 shall not apply to motor vehicles registered outside this  
31 state which are powered by alternative fuel other than compressed natural gas and liquefied natural gas, and  
32 for which a valid temporary alternative fuel decal has been acquired as provided in this section. The owners  
33 or operators of such motor vehicles shall, in lieu of the tax imposed by section 142.803, pay a temporary  
34 alternative fuel decal fee of eight dollars on each such vehicle. Such decals shall be valid for a period of  
35 fifteen days from the date of issuance and shall be attached to the lower right-hand corner of the front  
36 windshield on the motor vehicle for which it was issued. Such decal and fee shall not be transferable. All  
37 proceeds from such decal fees shall be deposited as specified in section 142.345. Alternative fuel dealers  
38 selling such decals in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the director shall be allowed to  
39 retain fifty cents for each decal fee timely remitted to the director.

40 3. Owners or operators of passenger motor vehicles, buses as defined in section 301.010, or

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1 commercial motor vehicles registered in this state which are powered by compressed natural gas or liquefied  
2 natural gas who have installed a compressed natural gas fueling station or liquefied natural gas fueling station  
3 used solely to fuel the motor vehicles they own or operate as of December 31, 2015, may continue to apply for  
4 and use the alternative fuel decal in lieu of paying the tax imposed under subdivisions (4) and (5) of  
5 subsection 1 of section 142.803. Owners or operators of compressed natural gas fueling stations or liquefied  
6 natural gas fueling stations whose vehicles bear an alternative fuel decal shall be prohibited from selling or  
7 providing compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas to any motor vehicle they do not own or operate.  
8 Owners or operators of motor vehicles powered by compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas bearing an  
9 alternative fuel decal after January 1, 2016, that decline to renew the alternative fuel decals for such motor  
10 vehicles shall no longer be eligible to apply for and use alternative fuel decals under this subsection. Any  
11 compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas obtained at any fueling station not owned by the owner or  
12 operator of the motor vehicle bearing an alternative fuel decal shall be subject to the tax under subdivisions  
13 (4) and (5) of subsection 1 of section 142.803.

14 4. The director shall annually, on or before January thirty-first of each year, collect or cause to be  
15 collected from owners or operators of the motor vehicles specified in subsection 1 of this section the annual  
16 decal fee. Applications for such decals shall be supplied by the department of revenue. In the case of a motor  
17 vehicle which is not in operation by January thirty-first of any year, a decal may be purchased for a fractional  
18 period of such year, and the amount of the decal fee shall be reduced by one-twelfth for each complete month  
19 which shall have elapsed since the beginning of such year.

20 5. Upon the payment of the fee required by subsection 1 of this section, the director shall issue a  
21 decal, which shall be valid for the current calendar year and shall be attached to the lower right-hand corner of  
22 the front windshield on the motor vehicle for which it was issued.

23 6. The decal fee paid pursuant to subsection 1 of this section for each motor vehicle shall be  
24 transferable upon a change of ownership of the motor vehicle and, if the LP gas or natural gas equipment is  
25 removed from a motor vehicle upon a change of ownership and is reinstalled in another motor vehicle, upon  
26 such reinstallation. Such transfers shall be accomplished in accordance with rules and regulations  
27 promulgated by the director.

28 7. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle required to have an alternative fuel  
29 decal upon the highways of this state without a valid decal.

30 8. No person shall cause to be put, or put, LP gas into the fuel supply receptacle of a motor vehicle  
31 required to have an alternative fuel decal unless the motor vehicle has a valid decal attached to it. Sales of fuel  
32 placed in the supply receptacle of a motor vehicle displaying such decal shall be recorded upon an invoice,  
33 which invoice shall include the decal number, the motor vehicle license number and the number of gallons  
34 placed in such supply receptacle.

35 9. Any person violating any provision of this section is guilty of an infraction and shall, upon  
36 conviction thereof, be fined five hundred dollars.

37 10. Motor vehicles displaying a valid alternative fuel decal are exempt from the licensing and  
38 reporting requirements of this chapter."; and

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