FIRST REGULAR SESSION HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 214

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal sections 430.080 and 430.135, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to emerging issues.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 430.080 and 430.135, RSMo, are repealed and three new sections 2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 430.080, 430.135, and 1, to read as follows:

430.080. Every person expending labor, services, skill or material upon any chattel at the request of its owner, authorized agent of the owner, or lawful possessor thereof, in the amount of [twenty-five] **five hundred** dollars or less, shall have a lien upon such chattel beginning upon the date of commencement of such expenditure of labor, services, skill, or materials for the contract price for all such expenditure of labor, services, skill, or material, until the possession of such chattel is voluntarily relinquished to such owner or authorized agent, or to one entitled to the possession thereof.

430.135. Chattels of a value not exceeding [one] **five** hundred dollars, which are not redeemed within one year of the date agreed upon for redemption, shall be deemed abandoned to the lienor and thereafter the owner or depositor of the chattels shall be barred from the recovery of the chattels, or the value thereof, or of any damages growing out of the failure of the person to receive the chattels.

Section 1. 1. As used in this section, the term "scrap metal" shall mean a metal containing brass, copper, copper alloy, aluminum, stainless steel, magnesium, or another metal traded on commodity markets that sell for fifty cents per pound or greater. The term shall not include precious metals such as gold, silver, or platinum.

5 2. The "Joint Legislative Task Force on Scrap Metal Salvage Dealers" is hereby 6 created to study statutes and regulations concerning scrap metal and salvage materials,

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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7 disparities in or needs for modification to existing statutes or regulations concerning scrap

8 metal, and ways in which existing statutes or regulations may be improved to reduce the

9 theft and sale of materials as scrap metal.

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3. The task force shall consisted of the following members:

(1) One member of the general assembly appointed by the president pro tem of thesenate;

13 (2) One member of the general assembly appointed by the minority floor leader of14 the senate;

(3) One member of the general assembly appointed by the speaker of the house of
representatives; and

17 (4) One member of the general assembly appointed by the minority leader of the18 house of representatives.

194. Members of the task force shall serve without compensation and shall compile20a report of their findings for delivery to the governor, the president pro tem of the senate,

and the speaker of the house of representatives no later than December 31, 2015.

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