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# SENATE BILL NO. 8

### 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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### AN ACT

To repeal sections 142.800, 142.803, 142.869, 287.020, 287.040, 288.035, 301.010, 301.031, 301.062, 301.227, 301.550, 304.005, 304.022, 304.120, 304.170, 304.180, 307.175, and 407.816, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof nineteen new sections relating to transportation, with existing penalty provisions and an emergency clause for certain sections.

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

Section A. Sections 142.800, 142.803, 142.869, 287.020, 287.040, 288.035,

- 2 301.010, 301.031, 301.062, 301.227, 301.550, 304.005, 304.022, 304.120, 304.170,
- 3 304.180, 307.175, and 407.816, RSMo, are repealed and nineteen new sections
- 4 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 142.800, 142.803, 142.869,
- 5 287.020, 287.040, 288.035, 301.010, 301.031, 301.062, 301.227, 301.550, 304.005,
- 6 304.022, 304.120, 304.170, 304.180, 307.005, 307.175, and 407.816, to read as
- 7 follows:

142.800. As used in this chapter, the following words, terms and phrases

- 2 have the meanings given:
- 3 (1) "Agricultural purposes", clearing, terracing or otherwise preparing the
- 4 ground on a farm; preparing soil for planting and fertilizing, cultivating, raising
- 5 and harvesting crops; raising and feeding livestock and poultry; building fences;
- 6 pumping water for any and all uses on the farm, including irrigation; building
- 7 roads upon any farm by the owner or person farming the same; operating milking
- 8 machines; sawing wood for use on a farm; producing electricity for use on a farm;
- 9 movement of tractors, farm implements and nonlicensed equipment from one field
- 10 to another;
- 11 (2) "Alternative fuel", electricity, liquefied petroleum gas (LPG or LP gas),

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

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compressed natural gas product, or a combination of liquefied petroleum gas and a compressed natural gas or electricity product used in an internal combustion 13 engine or motor to propel any form of vehicle, machine, or mechanical 14 15 contrivance. It includes all forms of fuel commonly or commercially known or sold as butane, propane, or compressed natural gas; 16

- (3) "Aviation fuel", any motor fuel specifically compounded for use in 17 18 reciprocating aircraft engines;
- 19 (4) "Blend stock", any petroleum product component of motor fuel, such as naphtha, reformat, toluene or kerosene, that can be blended for use in a motor 20 fuel without further processing. The term includes those petroleum products 21 presently defined by the Internal Revenue Service in regulations pursuant to 26 22 23 U.S.C., Sections 4081 and 4082, as amended. However, the term does not include 24 any substance that:
  - (a) Will be ultimately used for consumer nonmotor fuel use; and
- 26 (b) Is sold or removed in drum quantities (fifty-five gallons) or less at the 27 time of the removal or sale;
- 28 (5) "Blended fuel", a mixture composed of motor fuel and another liquid including blend stock, other than a de minimis amount of a product such as 29 carburetor detergent or oxidation inhibitor, that can be used as a fuel in a 30 highway vehicle. This term includes but is not limited to gasohol, ethanol, methanol, fuel grade alcohol, diesel fuel enhancers and resulting blends;
  - (6) "Blender", any person that produces blended motor fuel outside the bulk transfer/terminal system;
  - (7) "Blending", the mixing of one or more petroleum products, with or without another product, regardless of the original character of the product blended, if the product obtained by the blending is capable of use or otherwise sold for use in the generation of power for the propulsion of a motor vehicle, an airplane, or a motorboat. The term does not include the blending that occurs in the process of refining by the original refiner of crude petroleum or the blending of products known as lubricating oil and greases;
- (8) "Bulk plant", a bulk motor fuel storage and distribution facility that 42 43 is not a terminal within the bulk transfer system and from which motor fuel may be removed by truck; 44
- 45 (9) "Bulk transfer", any transfer of motor fuel from one location to another by pipeline tender or marine delivery within the bulk transfer/terminal system; 46
- 47 (10) "Bulk transfer/terminal system", the motor fuel distribution system consisting of refineries, pipelines, vessels, and terminals. Motor fuel in a 48

49 refinery, pipeline, boat, barge or terminal is in the bulk transfer/terminal

- 50 system. Motor fuel in the fuel supply tank of any engine, or in any tank car, rail
- 51 car, trailer, truck, or other equipment suitable for ground transportation is not
- 52 in the bulk transfer/terminal system;

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- (11) "Consumer", the user of the motor fuel;
- 54 (12) "Delivery", the placing of motor fuel or any liquid **or propulsion** 55 **energy** into the **battery**, fuel tank, **or storage device** of a motor vehicle or 56 bulk storage facility;
  - (13) "Department", the department of revenue;
- 58 (14) "Destination state", the state, territory, or foreign country to which 59 motor fuel is directed for delivery into a storage facility, a receptacle, a container, 60 or a type of transportation equipment for the purpose of resale or use;
- 61 (15) "Diesel fuel", any liquid that is commonly or commercially known or 62 sold as a fuel that is suitable for use in a diesel-powered highway vehicle. A liquid meets this requirement if, without further processing or blending, the 63 liquid has practical and commercial fitness for use in the propulsion engine of a diesel-powered highway vehicle. "Diesel fuel" does not include jet fuel sold to a 65 buyer who is registered with the Internal Revenue Service to purchase jet fuel 66 and remit taxes on its sale or use to the Internal Revenue Service. "Diesel fuel" 67 68 does not include biodiesel commonly referred to as B100 and defined in ASTM 69 D6751, B99, or B99.9 until such biodiesel is blended with other diesel fuel or sold 70 for highway use;
- 71 (16) "Diesel-powered highway vehicle", a motor vehicle operated on a 72 highway that is propelled by a diesel-powered engine;
  - (17) "Director", the director of revenue;
- 74 (18) "Distributor", a person who either produces, refines, blends, 75 compounds or manufactures motor fuel, imports motor fuel into a state or exports 76 motor fuel out of a state, or who is engaged in distribution of motor fuel;
- 77 (19) "Dyed fuel", diesel fuel or kerosene that is required to be dyed 78 pursuant to United States Environmental Protection Agency rules or is dyed 79 pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rules or pursuant to any other 80 requirements subsequently set by the United States Environmental Protection 81 Agency or Internal Revenue Service including any invisible marker requirements;
- 82 (20) "Eligible purchaser", a distributor who has been authorized by the 83 director to purchase motor fuel on a tax-deferred basis;
- 84 (21) "Export", to obtain motor fuel in this state for sale or other 85 distribution outside of this state. In applying this definition, motor fuel delivered

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out of state by or for the seller constitutes an export by the seller, and motor fuel delivered out of state by or for the purchaser constitutes an export by the purchaser;

- 89 (22) "Exporter", any person, other than a supplier, who purchases motor 90 fuel in this state for the purpose of transporting or delivering the fuel outside of 91 this state:
- 92 (23) "Farm tractor", all tractor-type, motorized farm implements and 93 equipment but shall not include motor vehicles of the truck-type, pickup truck-94 type, automobiles, and other motor vehicles required to be registered and licensed 95 each year pursuant to the provisions of the motor vehicle license and registration 96 laws of this state;
  - (24) "Fuel grade alcohol", a methanol or ethanol with a proof of not less than one hundred ninety degrees (determined without regard to denaturants) and products derived from such alcohol for blending with motor fuel;
- 100 (25) "Fuel transportation vehicle", any vehicle designed for highway use 101 which is also designed or used to transport motor fuels and includes transport 102 trucks and tank wagons;
- 103 (26) "Gasoline", all products commonly or commercially known or sold as 104 gasoline that are suitable for use as a motor fuel. Gasoline does not include 105 products that have an American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) octane 106 number of less than seventy-five as determined by the motor method;
  - (27) "Gross gallons", the total measured motor fuel, exclusive of any temperature or pressure adjustments, in U.S. gallons;
- 109 (28) "Heating oil", a motor fuel that is burned in a boiler, furnace, or stove 110 for heating or industrial processing purposes;
- 111 (29) "Import", to bring motor fuel into this state by any means of 112 conveyance other than in the fuel supply tank of a motor vehicle. In applying 113 this definition, motor fuel delivered into this state from out-of-state by or for the 114 seller constitutes an import by the seller, and motor fuel delivered into this state 115 from out-of-state by or for the purchaser constitutes an import by the purchaser;
  - (30) "Import verification number", the number assigned by the director with respect to a single transport truck delivery into this state from another state upon request for an assigned number by an importer or the transporter carrying motor fuel into this state for the account of an importer;
  - (31) "Importer" includes any person who is the importer of record, pursuant to federal customs law, with respect to motor fuel. If the importer of record is acting as an agent, the person for whom the agent is acting is the

123 importer. If there is no importer of record of motor fuel entered into this state,

- 124 the owner of the motor fuel at the time it is brought into this state is the
- 125 importer;
- 126 (32) "Interstate motor fuel user", any person who operates a motor fuel-
- 127 powered motor vehicle with a licensed gross weight exceeding twenty-six
- 128 thousand pounds that travels from this state into another state or from another
- 129 state into this state;
- 130 (33) "Invoiced gallons", the gallons actually billed on an invoice for
- 131 payment to a supplier which shall be either gross or net gallons on the original
- 132 manifest or bill of lading;
- 133 (34) "K-1 kerosene", a petroleum product having an A.P.I. gravity of not
- 134 less than forty degrees, at a temperature of sixty degrees Fahrenheit and a
- 135 minimum flash point of one hundred degrees Fahrenheit with a sulfur content not
- 136 exceeding four one-hundredths percent by weight;
- 137 (35) "Kerosene", the petroleum fraction containing hydrocarbons that are
- 138 slightly heavier than those found in gasoline and naphtha, with a boiling range
- 139 of one hundred forty-nine to three hundred degrees Celsius;
- 140 (36) "Liquid", any substance that is liquid in excess of sixty degrees
- 141 Fahrenheit and at a pressure of fourteen and seven-tenths pounds per square
- 142 inch absolute;
- (37) "Motor fuel", gasoline, diesel fuel, kerosene and blended fuel;
- 144 (38) "Motor vehicle", any automobile, truck, truck-tractor or any motor bus
- 145 or self-propelled vehicle not exclusively operated or driven upon fixed rails or
- 146 tracks. The term does not include:
- 147 (a) Farm tractors or machinery including tractors and machinery designed
- 148 for off-road use but capable of movement on roads at low speeds, or
- (b) A vehicle solely operated on rails;
- 150 (39) "Net gallons", the motor fuel, measured in U.S. gallons, when
- 151 corrected to a temperature of sixty degrees Fahrenheit and a pressure of fourteen
- and seven-tenths pounds per square inch absolute (psi);
- 153 (40) "Permissive supplier", an out-of-state supplier that elects, but is not
- required, to have a supplier's license pursuant to this chapter;
- 155 (41) "Person", natural persons, individuals, partnerships, firms,
- 156 associations, corporations, estates, trustees, business trusts, syndicates, this
- 157 state, any county, city, municipality, school district or other political subdivision
- 158 of the state, federally recognized Indian tribe, or any corporation or combination
- 159 acting as a unit or any receiver appointed by any state or federal court;

- 160 (42) "Position holder", the person who holds the inventory position in 161 motor fuel in a terminal, as reflected on the records of the terminal operator. A 162 person holds the inventory position in motor fuel when that person has a contract 163 with the terminal operator for the use of storage facilities and terminating 164 services for motor fuel at the terminal. The term includes a terminal operator 165 who owns motor fuel in the terminal;
- 166 (43) "Propel", the operation of a motor vehicle, whether it is in motion or at rest;
- 168 (44) "Public highway", every road, toll road, highway, street, way or place 169 generally open to the use of the public as a matter of right for the purposes of 170 vehicular travel, including streets and alleys of any town or city notwithstanding 171 that the same may be temporarily closed for construction, reconstruction, 172 maintenance or repair;
- 173 (45) "Qualified terminal", a terminal which has been assigned a terminal 174 control number ("tcn") by the Internal Revenue Service;
- 175 (46) "Rack", a mechanism for delivering motor fuel from a refinery or 176 terminal into a railroad tank car, a transport truck or other means of bulk 177 transfer outside of the bulk transfer/terminal system;
- 178 (47) "Refiner", any person that owns, operates, or otherwise controls a 179 refinery;
- 180 (48) "Refinery", a facility used to produce motor fuel from crude oil, 181 unfinished oils, natural gas liquids, or other hydrocarbons and from which motor 182 fuel may be removed by pipeline, by boat or barge, or at a rack;
- 183 (49) "Removal", any physical transfer of motor fuel from a terminal, 184 manufacturing plant, customs custody, pipeline, boat or barge, refinery or any 185 facility that stores motor fuel;
- 186 (50) "Retailer", a person that engages in the business of selling or 187 dispensing to the consumer within this state;
- 188 (51) "Supplier", a person that is:
- 189 (a) Registered or required to be registered pursuant to 26 U.S.C., Section 190 4101, for transactions in motor fuels in the bulk transfer/terminal distribution 191 system; and
- 192 (b) One or more of the following:
- a. The position holder in a terminal or refinery in this state;
- b. Imports motor fuel into this state from a foreign country;
- 195 c. Acquires motor fuel from a terminal or refinery in this state from a 196 position holder pursuant to either a two-party exchange or a qualified buy-sell

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197 arrangement which is treated as an exchange and appears on the records of the 198 terminal operator; or

- 199 d. The position holder in a terminal or refinery outside this state with 200 respect to motor fuel which that person imports into this state. A terminal 201 operator shall not be considered a supplier based solely on the fact that the terminal operator handles motor fuel consigned to it within a 202 203 terminal. "Supplier" also means a person that produces fuel grade alcohol or 204 alcohol-derivative substances in this state, produces fuel grade alcohol or alcohol-205 derivative substances for import to this state into a terminal, or acquires upon import by truck, rail car or barge into a terminal, fuel grade alcohol or alcohol-206 207 derivative substances. "Supplier" includes a permissive supplier unless 208 specifically provided otherwise;
- 209 (52) "Tank wagon", a straight truck having multiple compartments 210 designed or used to carry motor fuel;
- 211 (53) "Terminal", a bulk storage and distribution facility which includes:
- 212 (a) For the purposes of motor fuel, is a qualified terminal;
- 213 (b) For the purposes of fuel grade alcohol, is supplied by truck, rail car, 214 boat, barge or pipeline and the products are removed at a rack;
  - (54) "Terminal bulk transfers" include but are not limited to the following:
- 216 (a) Boat or barge movement of motor fuel from a refinery or terminal to 217 a terminal;
- 218 (b) Pipeline movements of motor fuel from a refinery or terminal to a 219 terminal;
- 220 (c) Book transfers of product within a terminal between suppliers prior 221 to completion of removal across the rack; and
- 222 (d) Two-party exchanges or buy-sell supply arrangements within a 223 terminal between licensed suppliers;
- 224 (55) "Terminal operator", any person that owns, operates, or otherwise 225 controls a terminal. A terminal operator may own the motor fuel that is 226 transferred through or stored in the terminal;
- 227 (56) "Transmix", the buffer or interface between two different products in 228 a pipeline shipment, or a mix of two different products within a refinery or 229 terminal that results in an off-grade mixture;
- 230 (57) "Transport truck", a semitrailer combination rig designed or used to 231 transport motor fuel over the highways;
- 232 (58) "Transporter", any operator of a pipeline, barge, railroad or transport 233 truck engaged in the business of transporting motor fuels;

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234 (59) "Two-party exchange", a transaction in which the motor fuel is 235 transferred from one licensed supplier or licensed permissive supplier to another 236 licensed supplier or licensed permissive supplier and:

- (a) Which transaction includes a transfer from the person that holds the original inventory position for motor fuel in the terminal as reflected on the records of the terminal operator; and
- 240 (b) The exchange transaction is simultaneous with removal from the 241 terminal by the receiving exchange partner. However, in any event, the terminal 242 operator in its books and records treats the receiving exchange party as the 243 supplier which removes the product across a terminal rack for purposes of 244 reporting such events to this state;
  - (60) "Ultimate vendor", a person that sells motor fuel to the consumer;
- 246 (61) "Undyed diesel fuel", diesel fuel that is not subject to the United 247 States Environmental Protection Agency dyeing requirements, or has not been 248 dyed in accordance with Internal Revenue Service fuel dyeing provisions; and
- 249 (62) "Vehicle fuel tank", any receptacle on a motor vehicle from which fuel 250 is supplied for the propulsion of the motor vehicle.
  - 142.803. 1. A tax is levied and imposed on all motor fuel used or consumed in this state as follows:
    - (1) Motor fuel, seventeen cents per gallon;
- 4 (2) Alternative fuels, not subject to the decal fees as provided in section 142.869, with a power potential equivalent of motor fuel. In the event alternative 6 fuel, which is not commonly sold or measured by the gallon, is used in motor 7 vehicles on the highways of this state, the director is authorized to assess and 8 collect a tax upon such alternative fuel measured by the nearest power potential 9 equivalent to that of one gallon of regular grade gasoline. The determination by 10 the director of the power potential equivalent of such alternative fuel shall be 11 prima facie correct;
  - (3) Aviation fuel used in propelling aircraft with reciprocating engines, nine cents per gallon as levied and imposed by section 155.080 to be collected as required under this chapter;
- (4) Compressed natural gas fuel, five cents per gasoline gallon equivalent until December 31, 2019, eleven cents per gasoline gallon equivalent from January 1, 2020, until December 31, 2024, and then seventeen cents per gasoline gallon equivalent thereafter. The gasoline gallon equivalent and method of sale for compressed natural gas shall be as published by the National Institute of Standards and Technology in Handbooks 44 and 130, and supplements thereto

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or revisions thereof. In the absence of such standard or agreement, the gasoline gallon equivalent and method of sale for compressed natural gas shall be equal to five and sixty-six-hundredths pounds of compressed natural gas. All applicable provisions contained in this chapter governing administration, collections, and enforcement of the state motor fuel tax shall apply to the tax imposed on compressed natural gas, including but not limited to licensing, reporting, penalties, and interest;

- 28 (5) Liquefied natural gas fuel, five cents per diesel gallon equivalent until 29 December 31, 2019, eleven cents per diesel gallon equivalent from January 1, 30 2020, until December 31, 2024, and then seventeen cents per diesel gallon equivalent thereafter. The diesel gallon equivalent and method of sale for 32 liquefied natural gas shall be as published by the National Institute of Standards 33 and Technology in Handbooks 44 and 130, and supplements thereto or revisions 34 thereof.
- In the absence of such standard or agreement, the diesel gallon equivalent and method of sale for liquefied natural gas shall be equal to six and six-hundredths pounds of liquefied natural gas. All applicable provisions contained in this chapter governing administration, collections, and enforcement of the state motor fuel tax shall apply to the tax imposed on liquefied natural gas, including but not limited to licensing, reporting, penalties, and interest;
  - (6) Propane gas fuel, five cents per gallon until December 31, 2019, eleven cents per gallon from January 1, 2020, until December 31, 2024, and then seventeen cents per gallon thereafter. All applicable provisions contained in this chapter governing administration, collection, and enforcement of the state motor fuel tax shall apply to the tax imposed on propane gas including, but not limited to, licensing, reporting, penalties, and interest;
  - (7) If a natural gas, compressed natural gas, [or] liquefied natural gas, electric, or propane connection is used for fueling motor vehicles and for another use, such as heating, the tax imposed by this section shall apply to the entire amount of natural gas, compressed natural gas, [or] liquefied natural gas, electricity, or propane used unless an approved separate metering and accounting system is in place.
- 2. All taxes, surcharges and fees are imposed upon the ultimate consumer, but are to be precollected as described in this chapter, for the facility and convenience of the consumer. The levy and assessment on other persons as specified in this chapter shall be as agents of this state for the precollection of the

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142.869. 1. The tax imposed by this chapter shall not apply to passenger motor vehicles, buses as defined in section 301.010, or commercial motor vehicles registered in this state which are powered by alternative fuel, and for which a valid decal has been acquired as provided in this section, provided that sales made to alternative fueled vehicles powered by propane, compressed natural gas, or liquefied natural gas that do not meet the requirements of subsection 3 6 of this section shall be taxed exclusively pursuant to subdivisions (4) [and (5)] to (7) of subsection 1 of section 142.803, respectively. The owners or operators of such motor vehicles, except plug-in electric hybrids, shall, in lieu of the tax imposed by section 142.803, pay an annual alternative fuel decal fee as follows: 10 11 seventy-five dollars on each passenger motor vehicle, school bus as defined in section 301.010, and commercial motor vehicle with a licensed gross vehicle 12 13 weight of eighteen thousand pounds or less; one hundred dollars on each motor vehicle with a licensed gross weight in excess of eighteen thousand pounds but 14 not more than thirty-six thousand pounds used for farm or farming transportation 15 16 operations and registered with a license plate designated with the letter "F"; one hundred fifty dollars on each motor vehicle with a licensed gross vehicle weight 17 in excess of eighteen thousand pounds but less than or equal to thirty-six 18 19 thousand pounds, and each passenger-carrying motor vehicle subject to the 20 registration fee provided in sections 301.059, 301.061 and 301.063; two hundred 21 fifty dollars on each motor vehicle with a licensed gross weight in excess of thirty-22 six thousand pounds used for farm or farming transportation operations and 23 registered with a license plate designated with the letter "F"; and one thousand 24dollars on each motor vehicle with a licensed gross vehicle weight in excess of 25 thirty-six thousand pounds. Owners or operators of plug-in electric hybrids shall pay one-half of the stated annual alternative fuel decal 26 27fee. Notwithstanding provisions of this section to the contrary, motor vehicles licensed as historic under section 301.131 which are powered by alternative fuel 28 29 shall be exempt from both the tax imposed by this chapter and the alternative fuel decal requirements of this section. For the purposes of this section, a 30 31 plug-in electric hybrid shall be any hybrid vehicle made by a 32manufacturer with a model year of 2018 or newer, that has not been modified from the original manufacturer specifications, with an 33 internal combustion engine and batteries that can be recharged by 34 35 connecting a plug to an electric power source.

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37 agreement as defined in section 142.617, the tax imposed by section 142.803 shall not apply to motor vehicles registered outside this state which are powered by 38 alternative fuel other than propane, compressed natural gas, and liquefied 39 40 natural gas, and for which a valid temporary alternative fuel decal has been acquired as provided in this section. The owners or operators of such motor 41 vehicles shall, in lieu of the tax imposed by section 142.803, pay a temporary 42 alternative fuel decal fee of eight dollars on each such vehicle. Such decals shall 43 be valid for a period of fifteen days from the date of issuance and shall be 44 attached to the lower right-hand corner of the front windshield on the motor 45 vehicle for which it was issued. Such decal and fee shall not be transferable. All 46 proceeds from such decal fees shall be deposited as specified in section 47 142.345. Alternative fuel dealers selling such decals in accordance with rules and 48 regulations prescribed by the director shall be allowed to retain fifty cents for 49 50 each decal fee timely remitted to the director.

- 3. Owners or operators of passenger motor vehicles, buses as defined in section 301.010, or commercial motor vehicles registered in this state which are powered by compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas who have installed a compressed natural gas fueling station or liquefied natural gas fueling station used solely to fuel the motor vehicles they own or operate as of December 31, 2015, may continue to apply for and use the alternative fuel decal in lieu of paying the tax imposed under subdivisions (4) and (5) of subsection 1 of section 142.803. Owners or operators of compressed natural gas fueling stations or liquefied natural gas fueling stations whose vehicles bear an alternative fuel decal shall be prohibited from selling or providing compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas to any motor vehicle they do not own or operate. Owners or operators of motor vehicles powered by compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas bearing an alternative fuel decal after January 1, 2016, that decline to renew the alternative fuel decals for such motor vehicles shall no longer be eligible to apply for and use alternative fuel decals under this subsection. Any compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas obtained at any fueling station not owned by the owner or operator of the motor vehicle bearing an alternative fuel decal shall be subject to the tax under subdivisions (4) and (5) of subsection 1 of section 142.803.
- 4. An owner or operator of a motor vehicle powered by propane may continue to apply for and use the alternative fuel decal in lieu of paying the tax imposed under subdivision (6) of subsection 1 of section 142.803. If the appropriate motor fuel tax under subdivision (6) of

subsection 1 of section 142.803 is collected at the time of fueling, an operator of a propane fueling station that uses quick-connect fueling nozzles may sell propane as a motor fuel without verifying the application of a valid Missouri alternative fuel decal. If an owner or operator of a motor vehicle powered by propane that bears an alternative fuel decal refuels at an unattended propane refueling station, such owner or operator shall not be eligible for a refund of the motor fuel tax paid at such refueling.

- 5. The director shall annually, on or before January thirty-first of each year, collect or cause to be collected from owners or operators of the motor vehicles specified in subsection 1 of this section the annual decal fee. Applications for such decals shall be supplied by the department of revenue. In the case of a motor vehicle which is not in operation by January thirty-first of any year, a decal may be purchased for a fractional period of such year, and the amount of the decal fee shall be reduced by one-twelfth for each complete month which shall have elapsed since the beginning of such year. This subsection shall not apply to an owner or operator of a motor vehicle powered by propane who fuels such vehicle exclusively at unattended fueling stations that collect the motor fuel tax.
- [5.] 6. Upon the payment of the fee required by subsection 1 of this section, the director shall issue a decal, which shall be valid for the current calendar year and shall be attached to the lower right-hand corner of the front windshield on the motor vehicle for which it was issued.
- [6.] 7. The decal fee paid pursuant to subsection 1 of this section for each motor vehicle shall be transferable upon a change of ownership of the motor vehicle and, if the LP gas or natural gas equipment is removed from a motor vehicle upon a change of ownership and is reinstalled in another motor vehicle, upon such reinstallation. Such transfers shall be accomplished in accordance with rules and regulations promulgated by the director.
- [7.] 8. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle required to have an alternative fuel decal upon the highways of this state without a valid decal unless the motor vehicle is exclusively fueled at propane, compressed natural gas, or liquefied natural gas fueling stations that collect the motor fuel tax.
- 108 [8.] 9. No person shall cause to be put, or put, [LP gas] any alternative 109 fuel into the fuel supply receptacle or battery of a motor vehicle required to 110 have an alternative fuel decal unless the motor vehicle either has a valid decal

attached to it or the appropriate motor fuel tax is collected at the time of such fueling. [Sales of fuel placed in the supply receptacle of a motor vehicle displaying such decal shall be recorded upon an invoice, which invoice shall

- include the decal number, the motor vehicle license number and the number of
- 115 gallons placed in such supply receptacle.]

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- 116 [9.] **10.** Any person violating any provision of this section is guilty of an infraction and shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined five hundred dollars.
- 118 [10.] 11. Motor vehicles displaying a valid alternative fuel decal are 119 exempt from the licensing and reporting requirements of this chapter.
- 287.020. 1. The word "employee" as used in this chapter shall be construed to mean every person in the service of any employer, as defined in this 3 chapter, under any contract of hire, express or implied, oral or written, or under any appointment or election, including executive officers of corporations. Except as otherwise provided in section 287.200, any reference to any employee who has 5 been injured shall, when the employee is dead, also include his dependents, and other persons to whom compensation may be payable. The word "employee" shall also include all minors who work for an employer, whether or not such minors are employed in violation of law, and all such minors are hereby made of full age for all purposes under, in connection with, or arising out of this chapter. The word 10 "employee" shall not include an individual who is the owner, as defined in 11 12 [subdivision (42) of] section 301.010, and operator of a motor vehicle which is 13 leased or contracted with a driver to a for-hire motor carrier operating within a 14 commercial zone as defined in section 390.020 or 390.041, or operating under a 15 certificate issued by the Missouri department of transportation or by the United 16 States Department of Transportation, or any of its subagencies. The word 17 "employee" also shall not include any person performing services for board, lodging, aid, or sustenance received from any religious, charitable, or relief 18 19 organization.
  - 2. The word "accident" as used in this chapter shall mean an unexpected traumatic event or unusual strain identifiable by time and place of occurrence and producing at the time objective symptoms of an injury caused by a specific event during a single work shift. An injury is not compensable because work was a triggering or precipitating factor.
  - 3. (1) In this chapter the term "injury" is hereby defined to be an injury which has arisen out of and in the course of employment. An injury by accident is compensable only if the accident was the prevailing factor in causing both the resulting medical condition and disability. "The prevailing factor" is defined to

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be the primary factor, in relation to any other factor, causing both the resulting medical condition and disability.

- 31 (2) An injury shall be deemed to arise out of and in the course of the 32 employment only if:
- 33 (a) It is reasonably apparent, upon consideration of all the circumstances, 34 that the accident is the prevailing factor in causing the injury; and
  - (b) It does not come from a hazard or risk unrelated to the employment to which workers would have been equally exposed outside of and unrelated to the employment in normal nonemployment life.
  - (3) An injury resulting directly or indirectly from idiopathic causes is not compensable.
  - (4) A cardiovascular, pulmonary, respiratory, or other disease, or cerebrovascular accident or myocardial infarction suffered by a worker is an injury only if the accident is the prevailing factor in causing the resulting medical condition.
- 44 (5) The terms "injury" and "personal injuries" shall mean violence to the 45 physical structure of the body and to the personal property which is used to make up the physical structure of the body, such as artificial dentures, artificial limbs, 46 glass eyes, eyeglasses, and other prostheses which are placed in or on the body 47 48 to replace the physical structure and such disease or infection as naturally results 49 therefrom. These terms shall in no case except as specifically provided in this 50 chapter be construed to include occupational disease in any form, nor shall they 51 be construed to include any contagious or infectious disease contracted during the 52 course of the employment, nor shall they include death due to natural causes 53 occurring while the worker is at work.
  - 4. "Death" when mentioned as a basis for the right to compensation means only death resulting from such violence and its resultant effects occurring within three hundred weeks after the accident; except that in cases of occupational disease, the limitation of three hundred weeks shall not be applicable.
  - 5. Injuries sustained in company-owned or subsidized automobiles in accidents that occur while traveling from the employee's home to the employer's principal place of business or from the employer's principal place of business to the employee's home are not compensable. The extension of premises doctrine is abrogated to the extent it extends liability for accidents that occur on property not owned or controlled by the employer even if the accident occurs on customary, approved, permitted, usual or accepted routes used by the employee to get to and from their place of employment.

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66 6. The term "total disability" as used in this chapter shall mean inability to return to any employment and not merely mean inability to return to the employment in which the employee was engaged at the time of the accident.

- 69 7. As used in this chapter and all acts amendatory thereof, the term 70 "commission" shall hereafter be construed as meaning and referring exclusively 71 to the labor and industrial relations commission of Missouri, and the term "director" shall hereafter be construed as meaning the director of the department 72 73 of insurance, financial institutions and professional registration of the state of 74 Missouri or such agency of government as shall exercise the powers and duties now conferred and imposed upon the department of insurance, financial 75 institutions and professional registration of the state of Missouri. 76
  - 8. The term "division" as used in this chapter means the division of workers' compensation of the department of labor and industrial relations of the state of Missouri.
- 9. For the purposes of this chapter, the term "minor" means a person who has not attained the age of eighteen years; except that, for the purpose of computing the compensation provided for in this chapter, the provisions of section 287.250 shall control.
- 10. In applying the provisions of this chapter, it is the intent of the legislature to reject and abrogate earlier case law interpretations on the meaning of or definition of "accident", "occupational disease", "arising out of", and "in the course of the employment" to include, but not be limited to, holdings in: Bennett v. Columbia Health Care and Rehabilitation, 80 S.W.3d 524 (Mo.App. W.D. 2002); Kasl v. Bristol Care, Inc., 984 S.W.2d 852 (Mo.banc 1999); and Drewes v. TWA, 984 S.W.2d 512 (Mo.banc 1999) and all cases citing, interpreting, applying, or following those cases.
- 11. For the purposes of this chapter, "occupational diseases due to toxic exposure" shall only include the following: mesothelioma, asbestosis, berylliosis, coal worker's pneumoconiosis, brochiolitis obliterans, silicosis, silicotuberculosis, manganism, acute myelogenous leukemia, and myelodysplastic syndrome.
- 287.040. 1. Any person who has work done under contract on or about his premises which is an operation of the usual business which he there carries on shall be deemed an employer and shall be liable under this chapter to such contractor, his subcontractors, and their employees, when injured or killed on or about the premises of the employer while doing work which is in the usual course of his business.
  - 2. The provisions of this section shall not apply to the owner of premises

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upon which improvements are being erected, demolished, altered or repaired by an independent contractor but such independent contractor shall be deemed to 9 be the employer of the employees of his subcontractors and their subcontractors 11 when employed on or about the premises where the principal contractor is doing 12 work.

- 3. In all cases mentioned in the preceding subsections, the immediate 13 contractor or subcontractor shall be liable as an employer of the employees of his 14 subcontractors. All persons so liable may be made parties to the proceedings on the application of any party. The liability of the immediate employer shall be 16 primary, and that of the others secondary in their order, and any compensation paid by those secondarily liable may be recovered from those primarily liable, 18 19 with attorney's fees and expenses of the suit. Such recovery may be had on motion in the original proceedings. No such employer shall be liable as in this section provided, if the employee was insured by his immediate or any intermediate employer.
- 23 4. The provisions of this section shall not apply to the relationship 24 between a for-hire motor carrier operating within a commercial zone as defined in section 390.020 or 390.041 or operating under a certificate issued by the 2526 Missouri department of transportation or by the United States Department of Transportation, or any of its subagencies, and an owner, as defined in 27 28 [subdivision (42) of] section 301.010, and operator of a motor vehicle.

288.035. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 288.034, in the case 2 of an individual who is the owner, as defined in [subdivision (42) of] section 301.010, and operator of a motor vehicle which is leased or contracted with a driver to a for-hire common or contract motor vehicle carrier operating within a commercial zone as defined in section 390.020 or 390.041, or operating under a certificate issued by the Missouri department of transportation or by the United States Department of Transportation or any of its subagencies, such owner/operator shall not be deemed to be an employee, provided, however, such individual owner and operator shall be deemed to be in employment if the for-hire 10 common or contract vehicle carrier is an organization described in Section 11 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or any governmental entity.

301.010. As used in this chapter and sections 304.010 to 304.040, 304.120 to 304.260, and sections 307.010 to 307.175, the following terms mean: 2

3 (1) "All-terrain vehicle", any motorized vehicle manufactured and used exclusively for off-highway use which is fifty inches or less in width, with an unladen dry weight of one thousand five hundred pounds or less, traveling on

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- 7 (2) "Automobile transporter", any vehicle combination capable of 8 carrying cargo on the power unit and designed and used [specifically] for 9 the transport of assembled motor vehicles, including truck camper units;
- 10 (3) "Axle load", the total load transmitted to the road by all wheels whose 11 centers are included between two parallel transverse vertical planes forty inches 12 apart, extending across the full width of the vehicle;
  - (4) "Backhaul", the return trip of a vehicle transporting cargo or general freight, especially when carrying goods back over all or part of the same route;
- (5) "Boat transporter", any vehicle combination capable of carrying cargo on the power unit and designed and used specifically to transport assembled boats and boat hulls. Boats may be partially disassembled to facilitate transporting;
- [(5)] (6) "Body shop", a business that repairs physical damage on motor vehicles that are not owned by the shop or its officers or employees by mending, straightening, replacing body parts, or painting;
- [(6)] (7) "Bus", a motor vehicle primarily for the transportation of a driver and eight or more passengers but not including shuttle buses;
- [(7)] (8) "Commercial motor vehicle", a motor vehicle designed or regularly used for carrying freight and merchandise, or more than eight passengers but not including vanpools or shuttle buses;
- [(8)] (9) "Cotton trailer", a trailer designed and used exclusively for transporting cotton at speeds less than forty miles per hour from field to field or from field to market and return;
- [(9)] (10) "Dealer", any person, firm, corporation, association, agent or subagent engaged in the sale or exchange of new, used or reconstructed motor vehicles or trailers;
- 34 [(10)] (11) "Director" or "director of revenue", the director of the 35 department of revenue;
- 36 [(11)] **(12)** "Driveaway operation":
- 37 (a) The movement of a motor vehicle or trailer by any person or motor 38 carrier other than a dealer over any public highway, under its own power singly, 39 or in a fixed combination of two or more vehicles, for the purpose of delivery for 40 sale or for delivery either before or after sale;
- 41 (b) The movement of any vehicle or vehicles, not owned by the transporter, 42 constituting the commodity being transported, by a person engaged in the

43 business of furnishing drivers and operators for the purpose of transporting

- 44 vehicles in transit from one place to another by the driveaway or towaway
- 45 methods; or
- (c) The movement of a motor vehicle by any person who is lawfully
- 47 engaged in the business of transporting or delivering vehicles that are not the
- 48 person's own and vehicles of a type otherwise required to be registered, by the
- 49 driveaway or towaway methods, from a point of manufacture, assembly or
- 50 distribution or from the owner of the vehicles to a dealer or sales agent of a
- 51 manufacturer or to any consignee designated by the shipper or consignor;
- 52 [(12)] (13) "Dromedary", a box, deck, or plate mounted behind the cab
- 53 and forward of the fifth wheel on the frame of the power unit of a truck
- 54 tractor-semitrailer combination. A truck tractor equipped with a dromedary may
- 55 carry part of a load when operating independently or in a combination with a
- 56 semitrailer;
- [(13)] (14) "Farm tractor", a tractor used exclusively for agricultural
- 58 purposes;
- [(14)] (15) "Fleet", any group of ten or more motor vehicles owned by the
- 60 same owner;
- 61 [(15)] (16) "Fleet vehicle", a motor vehicle which is included as part of
- 62 a fleet;
- 63 [(16)] (17) "Fullmount", a vehicle mounted completely on the frame of
- 64 either the first or last vehicle in a saddlemount combination;
- 65 [(17)] (18) "Gross weight", the weight of vehicle and/or vehicle
- 66 combination without load, plus the weight of any load thereon;
- 67 [(18)] (19) "Hail-damaged vehicle", any vehicle, the body of which has
- 68 become dented as the result of the impact of hail;
- [(19)] (20) "Highway", any public thoroughfare for vehicles, including
- 70 state roads, county roads and public streets, avenues, boulevards, parkways or
- 71 alleys in any municipality;
- 72 [(20)] (21) "Improved highway", a highway which has been paved with
- 73 gravel, macadam, concrete, brick or asphalt, or surfaced in such a manner that
- 74 it shall have a hard, smooth surface;
- 75 [(21)] (22) "Intersecting highway", any highway which joins another,
- 76 whether or not it crosses the same;
- 77 [(22)] **(23)** "Junk vehicle", a vehicle which:
- 78 (a) Is incapable of operation or use upon the highways and has no resale
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80 (b) Has been designated as junk or a substantially equivalent designation 81 by this state or any other state;

- [(23)] (24) "Kit vehicle", a motor vehicle assembled by a person other than a generally recognized manufacturer of motor vehicles by the use of a glider kit or replica purchased from an authorized manufacturer and accompanied by a manufacturer's statement of origin;
- [(24)] (25) "Land improvement contractors' commercial motor vehicle", any not-for-hire commercial motor vehicle the operation of which is confined to:
- (a) An area that extends not more than a radius of one hundred miles from its home base of operations when transporting its owner's machinery, equipment, or auxiliary supplies to or from projects involving soil and water conservation, or to and from equipment dealers' maintenance facilities for maintenance purposes; or
- (b) An area that extends not more than a radius of fifty miles from its home base of operations when transporting its owner's machinery, equipment, or auxiliary supplies to or from projects not involving soil and water conservation. Nothing in this subdivision shall be construed to prevent any motor vehicle from being registered as a commercial motor vehicle or local commercial motor vehicle;
- [(25)] (26) "Local commercial motor vehicle", a commercial motor vehicle whose operations are confined [solely] to a municipality and that area extending not more than fifty miles therefrom, or a commercial motor vehicle whose property-carrying operations are confined solely to the transportation of property owned by any person who is the owner or operator of such vehicle to or from a farm owned by such person or under the person's control by virtue of a landlord and tenant lease; provided that any such property transported to any such farm is for use in the operation of such farm;
- [(26)] (27) "Local log truck", a commercial motor vehicle which is registered pursuant to this chapter to operate as a motor vehicle on the public highways of this state, used exclusively in this state, used to transport harvested 110 forest products, operated solely at a forested site and in an area extending not more than a one hundred-mile radius from such site, carries a load with dimensions not in excess of twenty-five cubic yards per two axles with dual wheels, and when operated on the national system of interstate and defense highways described in 23 U.S.C. Section 103, as amended, or outside the one hundred mile radius from such site with an extended distance local log truck permit, such vehicle shall not exceed the weight limits of section 304.180, 116

does not have more than four axles, and does not pull a trailer which has more than two axles. Harvesting equipment which is used specifically for cutting, felling, trimming, delimbing, debarking, chipping, skidding, loading, unloading, and stacking may be transported on a local log truck. A local log truck may not exceed the limits required by law, however, if the truck does exceed such limits as determined by the inspecting officer, then notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, such truck shall be subject to the weight limits required by such sections as licensed for eighty thousand pounds;

[(27)] (28) "Local log truck tractor", a commercial motor vehicle which is registered under this chapter to operate as a motor vehicle on the public highways of this state, used exclusively in this state, used to transport harvested forest products, operated [solely] at a forested site and in an area extending not more than a one hundred-mile radius from such site, operates with a weight not exceeding twenty-two thousand four hundred pounds on one axle or with a weight not exceeding forty-four thousand eight hundred pounds on any tandem axle, and when operated on the national system of interstate and defense highways described in [Title 23, Section 103(e) of the United States Code] 23 U.S.C. Section 103, as amended, or outside the one hundred mile radius from such site with an extended distance local log truck permit, such vehicle does not exceed the weight limits contained in section 304.180, and does not have more than three axles and does not pull a trailer which has more than two axles. Violations of axle weight limitations shall be subject to the load limit penalty as described for in sections 304.180 to 304.220;

[(28)] (29) "Local transit bus", a bus whose operations are confined wholly within a municipal corporation, or wholly within a municipal corporation and a commercial zone, as defined in section 390.020, adjacent thereto, forming a part of a public transportation system within such municipal corporation and such municipal corporation and adjacent commercial zone;

[(29)] (30) "Log truck", a vehicle which is not a local log truck or local log truck tractor and is used exclusively to transport harvested forest products to and from forested sites which is registered pursuant to this chapter to operate as a motor vehicle on the public highways of this state for the transportation of harvested forest products;

[(30)] (31) "Major component parts", the rear clip, cowl, frame, body, cab, front-end assembly, and front clip, as those terms are defined by the director of revenue pursuant to rules and regulations or by illustrations;

[(31)] (32) "Manufacturer", any person, firm, corporation or association

engaged in the business of manufacturing or assembling motor vehicles, trailers or vessels for sale;

- 156 [(32)] (33) "Motor change vehicle", a vehicle manufactured prior to
- 157 August, 1957, which receives a new, rebuilt or used engine, and which used the
- 158 number stamped on the original engine as the vehicle identification number;
- 159 [(33)] (34) "Motor vehicle", any self-propelled vehicle not operated 160 exclusively upon tracks, except farm tractors;
- [(34)] (35) "Motor vehicle primarily for business use", any vehicle other than a recreational motor vehicle, motorcycle, motortricycle, or any commercial motor vehicle licensed for over twelve thousand pounds:
- 164 (a) Offered for hire or lease; or
- 165 (b) The owner of which also owns ten or more such motor vehicles;
- [(35)] (36) "Motorcycle", a motor vehicle operated on two wheels;
- [(36)] (37) "Motorized bicycle", any two-wheeled or three-wheeled device having an automatic transmission and a motor with a cylinder capacity of not more than fifty cubic centimeters, which produces less than three gross brake
- 170 horsepower, and is capable of propelling the device at a maximum speed of not
- 171 more than thirty miles per hour on level ground;
- [(37)] (38) "Motortricycle", a motor vehicle operated on three wheels,
- 173 including a motorcycle while operated with any conveyance, temporary or
- 174 otherwise, requiring the use of a third wheel. A motortricycle shall not be
- included in the definition of all-terrain vehicle;
- [(38)] (39) "Municipality", any city, town or village, whether incorporated
- 177 or not;
- 178 [(39)] (40) "Nonresident", a resident of a state or country other than the
- 179 state of Missouri;
- [(40)] (41) "Non-USA-std motor vehicle", a motor vehicle not originally
- 181 manufactured in compliance with United States emissions or safety standards;
- [(41)] (42) "Operator", any person who operates or drives a motor vehicle;
- [(42)] (43) "Owner", any person, firm, corporation or association, who
- 184 holds the legal title to a vehicle or in the event a vehicle is the subject of an
- 185 agreement for the conditional sale or lease thereof with the right of purchase
- 186 upon performance of the conditions stated in the agreement and with an
- 187 immediate right of possession vested in the conditional vendee or lessee, or in the
- 188 event a mortgagor of a vehicle is entitled to possession, then such conditional
- 189 vendee or lessee or mortgagor shall be deemed the owner [for the purpose of this
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191 [(43)] (44) "Public garage", a place of business where motor vehicles are housed, stored, repaired, reconstructed or repainted for persons other than the 192 owners or operators of such place of business; 193

- 194 [(44)] (45) "Rebuilder", a business that repairs or rebuilds motor vehicles 195 owned by the rebuilder, but does not include certificated common or contract 196 carriers of persons or property;
- [(45)] (46) "Reconstructed motor vehicle", a vehicle that is altered from 198 its original construction by the addition or substitution of two or more new or used major component parts, excluding motor vehicles made from all new parts, and new multistage manufactured vehicles;
  - [(46)] (47) "Recreational motor vehicle", any motor vehicle designed, constructed or substantially modified so that it may be used and is used for the purposes of temporary housing quarters, including therein sleeping and eating facilities which are either permanently attached to the motor vehicle or attached to a unit which is securely attached to the motor vehicle. Nothing herein shall prevent any motor vehicle from being registered as a commercial motor vehicle if the motor vehicle could otherwise be so registered;
  - [(47)] (48) "Recreational off-highway vehicle", any motorized vehicle manufactured and used exclusively for off-highway use which is more than fifty inches but no more than sixty-seven inches in width, with an unladen dry weight of two thousand pounds or less, traveling on four or more nonhighway tires and which may have access to ATV trails;
  - [(48)] (49) "Rollback or car carrier", any vehicle specifically designed to transport wrecked, disabled or otherwise inoperable vehicles, when the transportation is directly connected to a wrecker or towing service;
  - [(49)] (50) "Saddlemount combination", a combination of vehicles in which a truck or truck tractor tows one or more trucks or truck tractors, each connected by a saddle to the frame or fifth wheel of the vehicle in front of it. The "saddle" is a mechanism that connects the front axle of the towed vehicle to the frame or fifth wheel of the vehicle in front and functions like a fifth wheel kingpin connection. When two vehicles are towed in this manner the combination is called a "double saddlemount combination". When three vehicles are towed in this manner, the combination is called a "triple saddlemount combination";
- 224 [(50)] (51) "Salvage dealer and dismantler", a business that dismantles 225 used motor vehicles for the sale of the parts thereof, and buys and sells used 226 motor vehicle parts and accessories;
- 227 [(51)] (52) "Salvage vehicle", a motor vehicle, semitrailer, or house trailer

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- (a) Was damaged during a year that is no more than six years after the manufacturer's model year designation for such vehicle to the extent that the total cost of repairs to rebuild or reconstruct the vehicle to its condition immediately before it was damaged for legal operation on the roads or highways exceeds eighty percent of the fair market value of the vehicle immediately preceding the time it was damaged;
- 235 (b) By reason of condition or circumstance, has been declared salvage, 236 either by its owner, or by a person, firm, corporation, or other legal entity 237 exercising the right of security interest in it;
  - (c) Has been declared salvage by an insurance company as a result of settlement of a claim;
    - (d) Ownership of which is evidenced by a salvage title; or
- 241 (e) Is abandoned property which is titled pursuant to section 304.155 or 242 section 304.157 and designated with the words "salvage/abandoned 243 property". The total cost of repairs to rebuild or reconstruct the vehicle shall not 244 include the cost of repairing, replacing, or reinstalling inflatable safety restraints, 245 tires, sound systems, or damage as a result of hail, or any sales tax on parts or 246 materials to rebuild or reconstruct the vehicle. For purposes of this definition, 247 "fair market value" means the retail value of a motor vehicle as:
  - a. Set forth in a current edition of any nationally recognized compilation of retail values, including automated databases, or from publications commonly used by the automotive and insurance industries to establish the values of motor vehicles:
- b. Determined pursuant to a market survey of comparable vehicles with regard to condition and equipment; and
- c. Determined by an insurance company using any other procedure recognized by the insurance industry, including market surveys, that is applied by the company in a uniform manner;
- [(52)] (53) "School bus", any motor vehicle used solely to transport students to or from school or to transport students to or from any place for educational purposes;
- [(53)] (54) "Scrap processor", a business that, through the use of fixed or mobile equipment, flattens, crushes, or otherwise accepts motor vehicles and vehicle parts for processing or transportation to a shredder or scrap metal operator for recycling;
- [(54)] (55) "Shuttle bus", a motor vehicle used or maintained by any

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265person, firm, or corporation as an incidental service to transport patrons or customers of the regular business of such person, firm, or corporation to and from 266267the place of business of the person, firm, or corporation providing the service at 268 no fee or charge. Shuttle buses shall not be registered as buses or as commercial 269 motor vehicles;

- [(55)] (56) "Special mobile equipment", every self-propelled vehicle not designed or used primarily for the transportation of persons or property and incidentally operated or moved over the highways, including farm equipment, implements of husbandry, road construction or maintenance machinery, ditch-digging apparatus, stone crushers, air compressors, power shovels, cranes, graders, rollers, well-drillers and wood-sawing equipment used for hire, asphalt spreaders, bituminous mixers, bucket loaders, ditchers, leveling graders, finished machines, motor graders, road rollers, scarifiers, earth-moving carryalls, scrapers, drag lines, concrete pump trucks, rock-drilling and earth-moving equipment. This enumeration shall be deemed partial and shall not operate to exclude other such vehicles which are within the general terms of this section;
- [(56)] (57) "Specially constructed motor vehicle", a motor vehicle which 282 shall not have been originally constructed under a distinctive name, make, model 283 or type by a manufacturer of motor vehicles. The term specially constructed motor vehicle includes kit vehicles;
  - [(57)] (58) "Stinger-steered combination", a truck tractor-semitrailer wherein the fifth wheel is located on a drop frame located behind and below the rearmost axle of the power unit;
  - [(58)] (59) "Tandem axle", a group of two or more axles, arranged one behind another, the distance between the extremes of which is more than forty inches and not more than ninety-six inches apart;
- (60) "Towaway trailer transporter combination", a combination 292of vehicles consisting of a trailer transporter towing unit and two trailers or semitrailers, with a total weight that does not exceed 293 twenty-six thousand pounds; and in which the trailers or semitrailers 295 carry no property and constitute inventory property of a manufacturer, 296 distributer, or dealer of such trailers or semitrailers;
- 297 [(59)] (61) "Tractor", "truck tractor" or "truck-tractor", a self-propelled 298 motor vehicle designed for drawing other vehicles, but not for the carriage of any 299 load when operating independently. When attached to a semitrailer, it supports 300 a part of the weight thereof;
- 301 [(60)] (62) "Trailer", any vehicle without motive power designed for

carrying property or passengers on its own structure and for being drawn by a self-propelled vehicle, except those running exclusively on tracks, including a semitrailer or vehicle of the trailer type so designed and used in conjunction with a self-propelled vehicle that a considerable part of its own weight rests upon and is carried by the towing vehicle. The term trailer shall not include cotton trailers as defined in [subdivision (8) of] this section and shall not include manufactured homes as defined in section 700.010;

- (63) "Trailer transporter towing unit", a power unit that is not used to carry property when operating in a towaway trailer transporter combination;
- [(61)] **(64)** "Truck", a motor vehicle designed, used, or maintained for the transportation of property;
- [(62)] (65) "Truck-tractor semitrailer-semitrailer", a combination vehicle in which the two trailing units are connected with a B-train assembly which is a rigid frame extension attached to the rear frame of a first semitrailer which allows for a fifth-wheel connection point for the second semitrailer and has one less articulation point than the conventional A-dolly connected truck-tractor semitrailer-trailer combination;
- [(63)] (66) "Truck-trailer boat transporter combination", a boat transporter combination consisting of a straight truck towing a trailer using typically a ball and socket connection with the trailer axle located substantially at the trailer center of gravity rather than the rear of the trailer but so as to maintain a downward force on the trailer tongue;
- [(64)] (67) "Used parts dealer", a business that buys and sells used motor vehicle parts or accessories, but not including a business that sells only new, remanufactured or rebuilt parts. Business does not include isolated sales at a swap meet of less than three days;
- [(65)] (68) "Utility vehicle", any motorized vehicle manufactured and used exclusively for off-highway use which is more than fifty inches but no more than sixty-seven inches in width, with an unladen dry weight of two thousand pounds or less, traveling on four or six wheels, to be used primarily for landscaping, lawn care, or maintenance purposes;
- [(66)] (69) "Vanpool", any van or other motor vehicle used or maintained by any person, group, firm, corporation, association, city, county or state agency, or any member thereof, for the transportation of not less than eight nor more than forty-eight employees, per motor vehicle, to and from their place of employment; however, a vanpool shall not be included in the definition of the

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339 term bus or commercial motor vehicle as defined [by subdivisions (6) and (7) of] in this section, nor shall a vanpool driver be deemed a chauffeur as that term is 340 defined by section 303.020; nor shall use of a vanpool vehicle for ride-sharing 341 342 arrangements, recreational, personal, or maintenance uses constitute an 343 unlicensed use of the motor vehicle, unless used for monetary profit other than 344 for use in a ride-sharing arrangement;

- [(67)] (70) "Vehicle", any mechanical device on wheels, designed primarily for use, or used, on highways, except motorized bicycles, vehicles propelled or drawn by horses or human power, or vehicles used exclusively on fixed rails or tracks, or cotton trailers or motorized wheelchairs operated by handicapped persons;
- [(68)] (71) "Wrecker" or "tow truck", any emergency commercial vehicle equipped, designed and used to assist or render aid and transport or tow disabled or wrecked vehicles from a highway, road, street or highway rights-of-way to a point of storage or repair, including towing a replacement vehicle to replace a disabled or wrecked vehicle;
- [(69)] (72) "Wrecker or towing service", the act of transporting, towing or recovering with a wrecker, tow truck, rollback or car carrier any vehicle not owned by the operator of the wrecker, tow truck, rollback or car carrier for which the operator directly or indirectly receives compensation or other personal gain.
- 301.031. Notwithstanding the twenty-five mile operations limit imposed in [subdivision (24) of] section 301.010 upon local commercial motor vehicles, a local commercial motor vehicle licensed for forty-eight thousand pounds gross weight and above may be used to haul solid waste as defined in section 260.200 up to sixty miles from the municipality in which its operations are otherwise confined and still be eligible to register as a local commercial motor vehicle. 6
- 301.062. 1. The annual registration fee for a local log truck, registered 2 pursuant to this chapter, is three hundred dollars.
- 3 2. A local log truck may receive an extended distance local log truck permit for an additional fee of three hundred dollars. A local log truck with an extended distance local log truck permit shall be allowed to transport harvested or processed forest products outside of the one hundred mile radius from the forested site at the weight limits for commercial vehicles specified in section 304.180. For the purposes of 9 this section, "processed forest products" shall mean wood products that are produced from the initial processing of a round log and have 10 received no additional manufacturing or packaging to prepare the

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material for any retail market including, but not limited to, sawdust, wood chips, bark, slabs, and green square edged lumber products.

301.227. 1. Whenever a vehicle is sold for salvage, dismantling or rebuilding, the purchaser shall forward to the director of revenue within ten days the certificate of ownership or salvage certificate of title and the proper application and fee of eight dollars and fifty cents, and the director shall issue a 5 negotiable salvage certificate of title to the purchaser of the salvaged vehicle. On vehicles purchased during a year that is no more than six years after the manufacturer's model year designation for such vehicle, it shall be mandatory 7 that the purchaser apply for a salvage title. On vehicles purchased during a year that is more than six years after the manufacturer's model year designation for 10 such vehicle, then application for a salvage title shall be optional on the part of the purchaser. Whenever a vehicle is sold for destruction and a salvage 11 certificate of title, junking certificate, or certificate of ownership exists, the seller, 12 if licensed under sections 301.217 to 301.221, shall forward the certificate to the 13 14 director of revenue within ten days, with the notation of the date sold for destruction and the name of the purchaser clearly shown on the face of the 15 certificate. 16

- 2. Whenever a vehicle is classified as "junk", as defined in section 301.010, the purchaser may forward to the director of revenue a properly completed application for a junking certificate as well as the salvage certificate of title or certificate of ownership and the director shall issue a negotiable junking certificate to the purchaser of the vehicle. The director may also issue a junking certificate to a possessor of a vehicle manufactured twenty-six years or more prior to the current model year who has a bill of sale for said vehicle but does not possess a certificate of ownership, provided no claim of theft has been made on the vehicle and the highway patrol has by letter stated the vehicle is not listed as stolen after checking the registration number through its nationwide computer system. Such junking certificate may be granted within thirty days of the submission of a request. A junking certificate shall authorize the holder to possess, transport, or, by assignment, transfer ownership in such parts, scrap, or junk.
- 3. For any vehicle issued a junking certificate or such similar document or classification pursuant to the laws of another state, regardless of whether such designation has been subsequently changed by law in any other state, the department shall only issue a junking certificate, and a salvage certificate of title or original certificate of ownership shall not thereafter be issued for such

vehicle. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if the vehicle has not previously been classified as a junk vehicle, the applicant making the original junking certification application shall, within ninety days, be allowed to rescind his application for a junking certificate by surrendering the junking certificate and apply for a salvage certificate of title in his name. The seller of a vehicle for which a junking certificate has been applied for or issued shall disclose such fact in writing to any prospective buyers before sale of such vehicle; otherwise the sale shall be voidable at the option of the buyer.

- 4. No scrap metal operator shall acquire or purchase a motor vehicle or parts thereof without, at the time of such acquisition, receiving the original certificate of ownership or salvage certificate of title or junking certificate from the seller of the vehicle or parts, unless the seller is a licensee under sections 301.219 to 301.221.
- 5. All titles and certificates required to be received by scrap metal operators from nonlicensees shall be forwarded by the operator to the director of revenue within ten days of the receipt of the vehicle or parts.
- 6. The scrap metal operator shall keep a record, for three years, of the seller's name and address, the salvage business license number of the licensee, date of purchase, and any vehicle or parts identification numbers open for inspection as provided in section 301.225.
- 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, a motor vehicle dealer as defined in section 301.550 and licensed under the provisions of sections 301.550 to 301.572 may negotiate one reassignment of a salvage certificate of title on the back thereof.
- 8. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 of this section, an insurance company which settles a claim for a stolen vehicle may apply for and shall be issued a negotiable salvage certificate of title without the payment of any fee upon proper application within thirty days after settlement of the claim for such stolen vehicle. However, if the insurance company upon recovery of a stolen vehicle determines that the stolen vehicle has not sustained damage to the extent that the vehicle would have otherwise been declared a salvage vehicle pursuant to [subdivision (51) of] section 301.010, then the insurance company may have the vehicle inspected by the Missouri state highway patrol, or other law enforcement agency authorized by the director of revenue, in accordance with the inspection provisions of subsection 9 of section 301.190. Upon receipt of title application, applicable fee, the completed inspection, and the return of any previously issued negotiable salvage certificate, the director shall issue an original title with no

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salvage or prior salvage designation. Upon the issuance of an original title the director shall remove any indication of the negotiable salvage title previously issued to the insurance company from the department's electronic records.

9. Notwithstanding subsection 4 of this section or any other provision of the law to the contrary, if a motor vehicle is inoperable and is at least ten model years old, or the parts are from a motor vehicle that is inoperable and is at least ten model years old, a scrap metal operator may purchase or acquire such motor vehicle or parts without receiving the original certificate of ownership, salvage certificate of title, or junking certificate from the seller of the vehicle or parts, provided the scrap metal operator verifies with the department of revenue, via the department's online record access, that the motor vehicle is not subject to any recorded security interest or lien and the scrap metal operator complies with the requirements of this subsection. In lieu of forwarding certificates of title or ownership for such motor vehicles as required by subsection 5 of this section, the scrap metal operator shall forward a copy of the seller's state identification card along with a bill of sale to the department of revenue. The bill of sale form shall be designed by the director and such form shall include, but not be limited to, a certification that the motor vehicle is at least ten model years old, is inoperable, is not subject to any recorded security interest or lien, and a certification by the seller that the seller has the legal authority to sell or otherwise transfer the seller's interest in the motor vehicle or parts. Upon receipt of the information required by this subsection, the department of revenue shall cancel any certificate of title or ownership and registration for the motor vehicle. If the motor vehicle is inoperable and at least twenty model years old, then the scrap metal operator shall not be required to verify with the department of revenue whether the motor vehicle is subject to any recorded security interests or liens. As used in this subsection, the term "inoperable" means a motor vehicle that is in a rusted, wrecked, discarded, worn out, extensively damaged, dismantled, and mechanically inoperative condition and the vehicle's highest and best use is for scrap purposes. The director of the department of revenue is directed to promulgate rules and regulations to implement and administer the provisions of this section, including but not limited to, the development of a uniform bill of sale. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to

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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 August 28, 2012, shall be invalid and void.

301.550. 1. The definitions contained in section 301.010 shall apply to 2 sections 301.550 to 301.573, and in addition as used in sections 301.550 to 301.573, the following terms mean:

- 4 (1) "Boat dealer", any natural person, partnership, or corporation who, for a commission or with an intent to make a profit or gain of money or other thing 5 of value, sells, barters, exchanges, leases or rents with the option to purchase, offers, attempts to sell, or negotiates the sale of any vessel or vessel trailer, whether or not the vessel or vessel trailer is owned by such person. The sale of 9 six or more vessels or vessel trailers or both in any calendar year shall be required as evidence that such person is eligible for licensure as a boat dealer 10 under sections 301.550 to 301.573. The boat dealer shall demonstrate eligibility 11 12 for renewal of his license by selling six or more vessels or vessel trailers or both in the prior calendar year while licensed as a boat dealer pursuant to sections 301.550 to 301.573; 14
  - (2) "Boat manufacturer", any person engaged in the manufacturing, assembling or modification of new vessels or vessel trailers as a regular business, including a person, partnership or corporation which acts for and is under the control of a manufacturer or assembly in connection with the distribution of vessels or vessel trailers;
    - (3) "Department", the Missouri department of revenue;
- 21 (4) "Director", the director of the Missouri department of revenue;
- 22 (5) "Emergency vehicles", motor vehicles used as ambulances, law 23 enforcement vehicles, and fire fighting and assistance vehicles;
  - (6) "Manufacturer", any person engaged in the manufacturing, assembling or modification of new motor vehicles or trailers as a regular business, including a person, partnership or corporation which acts for and is under the control of a manufacturer or assembly in connection with the distribution of motor vehicles or accessories for motor vehicles;
- 29 (7) "Motor vehicle broker", a person who holds himself out through 30 solicitation, advertisement, or otherwise as one who offers to arrange a 31 transaction involving the retail sale of a motor vehicle, and who is not:
- 32 (a) A dealer, or any agent, or any employee of a dealer when acting on 33 behalf of a dealer;
- 34 (b) A manufacturer, or any agent, or employee of a manufacturer when

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- (c) The owner of the vehicle involved in the transaction; or
- 37 (d) A public motor vehicle auction or wholesale motor vehicle auction 38 where buyers are licensed dealers in this or any other jurisdiction;
- 39 (8) "Motor vehicle dealer" or "dealer", any person who, for commission or with an intent to make a profit or gain of money or other thing of value, sells, 40 barters, exchanges, leases or rents with the option to purchase, or who offers or 41 42 attempts to sell or negotiates the sale of motor vehicles or trailers whether or not 43 the motor vehicles or trailers are owned by such person; provided, however, an individual auctioneer or auction conducted by an auctioneer licensed pursuant to 44 chapter 343 shall not be included within the definition of a motor vehicle 45 46 dealer. The sale of six or more motor vehicles or trailers in any calendar year shall be required as evidence that such person is engaged in the motor vehicle 47 business and is eligible for licensure as a motor vehicle dealer under sections 48 49 301.550 to 301.573. Any motor vehicle dealer licensed before August 28, 2007, 50 shall be required to meet the minimum calendar year sales of six or more motor vehicles provided the dealer can prove the business achieved, cumulatively, six 51 or more sales per year for the preceding twenty-four months in business; or if the 52dealer has not been in business for twenty-four months, the cumulative 53 54 equivalent of one sale every two months for the months the dealer has been in 55 business before August 28, 2007. Any licensed motor vehicle dealer failing to 56 meet the minimum vehicle sales requirements as referenced in this subsection 57 shall not be qualified to renew his or her license for one year. Applicants who 58 reapply after the one-year period shall meet the requirement of six sales per year;
  - (9) "New motor vehicle", any motor vehicle being transferred for the first time from a manufacturer, distributor or new vehicle dealer which has not been registered or titled in this state or any other state and which is offered for sale, barter or exchange by a dealer who is franchised to sell, barter or exchange that particular make of motor vehicle. The term "new motor vehicle" shall not include manufactured homes, as defined in section 700.010;
  - (10) "New motor vehicle franchise dealer", any motor vehicle dealer who has been franchised to deal in a certain make of motor vehicle by the manufacturer or distributor of that make and motor vehicle and who may, in line with conducting his business as a franchise dealer, sell, barter or exchange used motor vehicles;
- 70 (11) "Person" includes an individual, a partnership, corporation, an 71 unincorporated society or association, joint venture or any other entity;

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- 72 (12) "Powersport dealer", any motor vehicle dealer who sells, either 73 pursuant to a franchise agreement or otherwise, primarily motor vehicles 74 including but not limited to motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles, and personal 75 watercraft, as those terms are defined in this chapter and chapter 306;
- 76 (13) "Public motor vehicle auction", any person, firm or corporation who 77 takes possession of a motor vehicle whether by consignment, bailment or any 78 other arrangement, except by title, for the purpose of selling motor vehicles at a 79 public auction by a licensed auctioneer;
  - (14) "Recreational motor vehicle dealer", a dealer of new or used motor vehicles designed, constructed or substantially modified for use as temporary housing quarters, including sleeping and eating facilities which are either permanently attached to the motor vehicle or attached to a unit which is securely attached to the motor vehicle;
- 85 (15) "Storage lot", an area within the same city or county where a dealer 86 may store excess vehicle inventory;
  - (16) "Trailer dealer", any person selling, either exclusively or otherwise, trailers as defined in [subdivision (60) of] section 301.010. A trailer dealer may acquire a motor vehicle for resale only as a trade-in for a trailer. Notwithstanding the provisions of [subdivision (11) of] section 301.010 and section 301.069, trailer dealers may purchase one driveaway license plate to display such motor vehicle for demonstration purposes. The sale of six or more trailers in any calendar year shall be required as evidence that such person is engaged in the trailer business and is eligible for licensure as a trailer dealer under sections 301.550 to 301.573. Any trailer dealer licensed before August 28, 2007, shall be required to meet the minimum calendar year sales of six or more trailers provided the dealer can prove the business achieved, cumulatively, six or more sales per year for the preceding twenty-four months in business; or if the dealer has not been in business for twenty-four months, the cumulative equivalent of one sale every two months for the months the dealer has been in business before August 28, 2007. Any licensed trailer dealer failing to meet the minimum trailer and vehicle sales requirements as referenced in this subsection shall not be qualified to renew his or her license for one year. Applicants who reapply after the one-year period shall meet the requirement of six sales per year;
  - (17) "Used motor vehicle", any motor vehicle which is not a new motor vehicle, as defined in sections 301.550 to 301.573, and which has been sold, bartered, exchanged or given away or which may have had a title issued in this state or any other state, or a motor vehicle so used as to be what is commonly

109 known as a secondhand motor vehicle. In the event of an assignment of the

- 110 statement of origin from an original franchise dealer to any individual or other
- 111 motor vehicle dealer other than a new motor vehicle franchise dealer of the same
- make, the vehicle so assigned shall be deemed to be a used motor vehicle and a
- 113 certificate of ownership shall be obtained in the assignee's name. The term "used
- 114 motor vehicle" shall not include manufactured homes, as defined in section
- 115 700.010;
- 116 (18) "Used motor vehicle dealer", any motor vehicle dealer who is not a
- 117 new motor vehicle franchise dealer;
- 118 (19) "Vessel", every boat and watercraft defined as a vessel in section
- 119 306.010;
- 120 (20) "Vessel trailer", any trailer, as defined by section 301.010 which is
- designed and manufactured for the purposes of transporting vessels;
- 122 (21) "Wholesale motor vehicle auction", any person, firm or corporation in
- 123 the business of providing auction services solely in wholesale transactions at its
- 124 established place of business in which the purchasers are motor vehicle dealers
- 125 licensed by this or any other jurisdiction, and which neither buys, sells nor owns
- 126 the motor vehicles it auctions in the ordinary course of its business. Except as
- 127 required by law with regard to the auction sale of a government-owned motor
- 128 vehicle, a wholesale motor vehicle auction shall not provide auction services in
- 129 connection with the retail sale of a motor vehicle;
- 130 (22) "Wholesale motor vehicle dealer", a motor vehicle dealer who sells
- 131 motor vehicles only to other new motor vehicle franchise dealers or used motor
- 132 vehicle dealers or via auctions limited to other dealers of any class.
- 2. For purposes of sections 301.550 to 301.573, neither the term motor
- 134 vehicle nor the term trailer shall include manufactured homes, as defined in
- 135 section 700.010.
- 3. Dealers shall be divided into classes as follows:
- 137 (1) Boat dealers;
- 138 (2) Franchised new motor vehicle dealers;
- 139 (3) Used motor vehicle dealers;
- 140 (4) Wholesale motor vehicle dealers;
- 141 (5) Recreational motor vehicle dealers:
- 142 (6) Historic motor vehicle dealers;
- 143 (7) Classic motor vehicle dealers;
- 144 (8) Powersport dealers; and
- 145 (9) Trailer dealers.

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304.005. 1. As used in this section, the term "autocycle" means a threewheeled motor vehicle [on] which the drivers and passengers ride in a partially or completely enclosed, tandem non-straddle seating area [that is equipped with air bag protection, a roll cage, safety belts for each occupant, and antilock brakes and], that is designed to be controlled with a steering wheel and pedals, and that has met applicable Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration requirements or Federal Motorcycle Safety Standards. 8

- 2. Notwithstanding subsection 2 of section 302.020, a person operating or riding in an autocycle shall not be required to wear protective headgear if the vehicle is equipped with a roof that meets or exceeds the standards established 12 for protective headgear.
- 3. No person shall operate an autocycle on any highway or street in this 13 state unless the person has a valid driver's license. The operator of an autocycle, 14 however, shall not be required to obtain a motorcycle or motortricycle license or 15 16 endorsement pursuant to sections 302.010 to 302.340.
- 304.022. 1. Upon the immediate approach of an emergency vehicle giving  $^{2}$ audible signal by siren or while having at least one lighted lamp exhibiting red light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred feet to the front of such vehicle or a flashing blue light authorized by section 307.175, the driver of every other vehicle shall yield the right-of-way and shall 5 immediately drive to a position parallel to, and as far as possible to the right of, the traveled portion of the highway and thereupon stop and remain in such position until such emergency vehicle has passed, except when otherwise directed 9 by a police or traffic officer.
- 10 2. Upon approaching a stationary [emergency] vehicle displaying lighted 11 red or red and blue lights, or a stationary vehicle [owned by the state highways 12 and transportation commission and operated by an authorized employee of the department of transportation or a stationary vehicle owned by a contractor or 13 subcontractor performing work for the department of transportation displaying lighted amber or amber and white lights, the driver of every motor vehicle shall: 15
  - (1) Proceed with caution and yield the right-of-way, if possible with due regard to safety and traffic conditions, by making a lane change into a lane not adjacent to that of the stationary vehicle, if on a roadway having at least four lanes with not less than two lanes proceeding in the same direction as the approaching vehicle; or
  - (2) Proceed with due caution and reduce the speed of the vehicle,

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maintaining a safe speed for road conditions, if changing lanes would be unsafe or impossible.

- 3. The motorman of every streetcar shall immediately stop such car clear of any intersection and keep it in such position until the emergency vehicle has passed, except as otherwise directed by a police or traffic officer.
  - 4. An "emergency vehicle" is a vehicle of any of the following types:
- (1) A vehicle operated by the state highway patrol, the state water patrol, the Missouri capitol police, a conservation agent, or a state park ranger, those vehicles operated by enforcement personnel of the state highways and transportation commission, police or fire department, sheriff, constable or deputy sheriff, federal law enforcement officer authorized to carry firearms and to make arrests for violations of the laws of the United States, traffic officer or coroner or by a privately owned emergency vehicle company;
- 35 (2) A vehicle operated as an ambulance or operated commercially for the 36 purpose of transporting emergency medical supplies or organs;
- 37 (3) Any vehicle qualifying as an emergency vehicle pursuant to section 38 307.175;
- 39 (4) Any wrecker, or tow truck or a vehicle owned and operated by a public 40 utility or public service corporation while performing emergency service;
- 41 (5) Any vehicle transporting equipment designed to extricate human 42 beings from the wreckage of a motor vehicle;
- 43 (6) Any vehicle designated to perform emergency functions for a civil 44 defense or emergency management agency established pursuant to the provisions 45 of chapter 44;
- (7) Any vehicle operated by an authorized employee of the department of corrections who, as part of the employee's official duties, is responding to a riot, disturbance, hostage incident, escape or other critical situation where there is the threat of serious physical injury or death, responding to mutual aid call from another criminal justice agency, or in accompanying an ambulance which is transporting an offender to a medical facility;
- 52 (8) Any vehicle designated to perform hazardous substance emergency 53 functions established pursuant to the provisions of sections 260.500 to 260.550; 54 or
- 55 (9) Any vehicle owned by the state highways and transportation 56 commission and operated by an authorized employee of the department of 57 transportation that is marked as a department of transportation emergency 58 response or motorist assistance vehicle.

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5. (1) The driver of any vehicle referred to in subsection 4 of this section 60 shall not sound the siren thereon or have the front red lights or blue lights on 61 except when such vehicle is responding to an emergency call or when in pursuit 62 of an actual or suspected law violator, or when responding to, but not upon 63 returning from, a fire.

- (2) The driver of an emergency vehicle may:
- 65 (a) Park or stand irrespective of the provisions of sections 304.014 to 66 304.025;
- 67 (b) Proceed past a red or stop signal or stop sign, but only after slowing 68 down as may be necessary for safe operation;
- 69 (c) Exceed the prima facie speed limit so long as the driver does not 70 endanger life or property;
- 71 (d) Disregard regulations governing direction of movement or turning in 72 specified directions.
- (3) The exemptions granted to an emergency vehicle pursuant to subdivision (2) of this subsection shall apply only when the driver of any such vehicle while in motion sounds audible signal by bell, siren, or exhaust whistle as may be reasonably necessary, and when the vehicle is equipped with at least one lighted lamp displaying a red light or blue light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred feet to the front of such vehicle.
- 6. No person shall purchase an emergency light as described in this section without furnishing the seller of such light an affidavit stating that the light will be used exclusively for emergency vehicle purposes.
- 7. Violation of this section shall be deemed a class A misdemeanor.
- 304.120. 1. Municipalities, by ordinance, may establish reasonable speed regulations for motor vehicles within the limits of such municipalities. No person who is not a resident of such municipality and who has not been within the limits thereof for a continuous period of more than forty-eight hours shall be convicted of a violation of such ordinances, unless it is shown by competent evidence that there was posted at the place where the boundary of such municipality joins or crosses any highway a sign displaying in black letters not less than four inches high and one inch wide on a white background the speed fixed by such municipality so that such sign may be clearly seen by operators and drivers from
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- 14 (2) Establish one-way streets and provide for the regulation of vehicles 15 thereon;
- 16 (3) Require vehicles to stop before crossing certain designated streets and 17 boulevards:
- 18 (4) Limit the use of certain designated streets and boulevards to 19 passenger vehicles, except that each municipality shall allow at least one route, 20 with lawful traffic movement and access from both directions, to be available for 21use by commercial motor vehicles to access any roads in the state highway system. Under no circumstances shall the provisions of this subdivision be construed to authorize a municipality to limit the use of all routes in the 23 municipality. The use by commercial motor vehicles of a municipality-24 designated route for such vehicles in compliance with any ordinances 25 of the designating municipality shall not be deemed a nuisance or 26 27 evidence of a nuisance. Nothing contained in this subdivision is intended to modify or limit recovery for any claim that is independent 28 of a nuisance claim; 29
  - (5) Prohibit the use of certain designated streets to vehicles with metal tires, or solid rubber tires;
  - (6) Regulate the parking of vehicles on streets by the installation of parking meters for limiting the time of parking and exacting a fee therefor or by the adoption of any other regulatory method that is reasonable and practical, and prohibit or control left-hand turns of vehicles;
    - (7) Require the use of signaling devices on all motor vehicles; and
- 37 (8) Prohibit sound-producing warning devices, except horns directed 38 forward.
- 39 3. No ordinance shall be valid which contains provisions contrary to or in 40 conflict with this chapter, except as herein provided.
- 4. No ordinance shall impose liability on the owner-lessor of a motor 41 42vehicle when the vehicle is being permissively used by a lessee and is illegally parked or operated if the registered owner-lessor of such vehicle furnishes the 43 name, address and operator's license number of the person renting or leasing the 44 vehicle at the time the violation occurred to the proper municipal authority 45 within three working days from the time of receipt of written request for such 46 information. Any registered owner-lessor who fails or refuses to provide such 47information within the period required by this subsection shall be liable for the imposition of any fine established by municipal ordinance for the

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violation. Provided, however, if a leased motor vehicle is illegally parked due to a defect in such vehicle, which renders it inoperable, not caused by the fault or neglect of the lessee, then the lessor shall be liable on any violation for illegal parking of such vehicle.

- 5. No ordinance shall deny the use of commercial motor vehicles on all routes within the municipality. For purposes of this section, the term "route" shall mean any state road, county road, or public street, avenue, boulevard, or parkway.
- 6. No ordinance shall prohibit the operator of a motor vehicle from being in an intersection while a red signal is being displayed if the operator of the motor vehicle entered the intersection during a yellow signal interval. The provisions of this subsection shall supercede any local laws, ordinances, orders, rules, or regulations enacted by a county, municipality, or other political subdivision that are to the contrary.
  - 304.170. 1. No vehicle operated upon the highways of this state shall have a width, including load, in excess of one hundred two inches, except clearance lights, rearview mirrors or other accessories required by federal, state or city law or regulation. Provided however, a recreational vehicle as defined in section 700.010 may exceed the foregoing width limits if the appurtenances on such recreational vehicle extend no further than the rearview mirrors. Such mirrors may only extend the distance necessary to provide the required field of view before the appurtenances were attached.
    - 2. No vehicle operated upon the interstate highway system or upon any route designated by the [chief engineer of the state transportation department] state highways and transportation commission shall have a height, including load, in excess of fourteen feet. On all other highways, no vehicle shall have a height, including load, in excess of thirteen and one-half feet, except that any vehicle or combination of vehicles transporting automobiles or other motor vehicles may have a height, including load, of not more than fourteen feet.
- 3. No single motor vehicle operated upon the highways of this state shall have a length, including load, in excess of forty-five feet, except as otherwise provided in this section.
- 4. No bus, recreational motor vehicle or trackless trolley coach operated upon the highways of this state shall have a length in excess of forty-five feet, except that such vehicles may exceed the forty-five feet length when such excess length is caused by the projection of a front safety bumper or a rear safety bumper or both. Such safety bumper shall not cause the length of the bus or

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recreational motor vehicle to exceed the forty-five feet length limit by more than one foot in the front and one foot in the rear. Notwithstanding any provision 25 of this section to the contrary, an articulated bus, comprised of two or 26 more sections connected by a flexible joint or other mechanism, may be 27 28 up to sixty feet in length, not including safety bumpers which may 29 extend one foot in front and one foot in the rear, and not including 30 bicycle storage racks which may extend over the safety bumper by up 31 to five feet when in the down position transporting a bicycle. The term 32 "safety bumper" means any device which may be fitted on an existing bumper or which replaces the bumper and is so constructed, treated, or manufactured that 33 it absorbs energy upon impact. 34

- 5. No combination of truck-tractor and semitrailer or truck-tractor equipped with dromedary and semitrailer operated upon the highways of this state shall have a length, including load, in excess of sixty feet; except that in order to comply with the provisions of P.L. 97-424 codified in Title 23 of the United States Code [(Public Law 97-424)], 23 U.S.C. Section 101, et al., as amended, no combination of truck-tractor and semitrailer or truck-tractor equipped with dromedary and semitrailer operated upon the interstate highway system of this state shall have an overall length, including load, in excess of the length of the truck-tractor plus the semitrailer or truck-tractor equipped with dromedary and semitrailer. The length of such semitrailer shall not exceed fifty-three feet.
- 6. In order to comply with the provisions of **P.L. 97-424 codified in** Title 46 23 of the United States Code [(Public Law 97-424)], 23 U.S.C. Section 101, et 47 48 al., as amended, no combination of truck-tractor, semitrailer and trailer operated upon the interstate highway system of this state shall have an overall 49 50 length, including load, in excess of the length of the truck-tractor plus the semitrailer and trailer, neither of which semitrailer or trailer shall exceed 51 52twenty-eight feet in length, except that any existing semitrailer or trailer up to 53 twenty-eight and one-half feet in length actually and lawfully operated on 54 December 1, 1982, within a sixty-five foot overall length limit in any state, may continue to be operated upon the interstate highways of this state. On those 55 56 primary highways not designated by the state highways and transportation commission as provided in subsection [10] 11 of this section, no combination of 57 truck-tractor, semitrailer and trailer shall have an overall length, including load, 58 in excess of sixty-five feet; provided, however, the [state highways and 59 transportation commission may designate additional routes for such sixty-five 60

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  - (1) Stinger-steered combination automobile transporters having a length not in excess of eighty feet may be operated on the interstate highways of this state and such other highways as may be designated by the commission for the operation of such vehicles plus a distance not to exceed ten miles from such interstate or designated highway. All length provisions regarding stinger-steered automobile combination transporters are exclusive of front and rear overhang, which shall be no greater than a four-foot front overhang and no greater than a six-foot rear overhang.
  - (2) Automobile transporters may transport cargo or general freight on a backhaul, as long as in compliance with weight limitations for a truck-tractor and semitrailer combination as outlined in section 304.180.
  - 8. Driveaway saddlemount combinations having a length not in excess of ninety-seven feet may be operated on the interstate highways of this state and such other highways as may be designated by the [highways and transportation] commission for the operation of such vehicles plus a distance not to exceed ten miles from such interstate or designated highway. Saddlemount combinations must comply with the safety requirements of Section 393.71 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations and may contain no more than three saddlemounted vehicles and one fullmount.
- 95 9. No truck-tractor semitrailer-semitrailer combination vehicles operated 96 upon the interstate and designated primary highway system of this state shall 97 have a semitrailer length in excess of twenty-eight feet or twenty-eight and

one-half feet if the semitrailer was in actual and lawful operation in any state on December 1, 1982, operating in a truck-tractor semitrailer-semitrailer combination. The B-train assembly is excluded from the measurement of semitrailer length when used between the first and second semitrailer of a truck-tractor semitrailer-semitrailer combination, except that when there is no semitrailer mounted to the B-train assembly, it shall be included in the length measurement of the semitrailer.

- 10. No towaway trailer transporter combination vehicles operated upon the interstate and designated primary highway system of this state shall have an overall length of more than eighty-two feet.
- 11. The [highways and transportation] commission is authorized to designate routes on the state highway system other than the interstate system over which those combinations of vehicles of the lengths specified in subsections 5, 6, 7, 8, [and] 9, and 10 of this section may be operated. Combinations of vehicles operated under the provisions of subsections 5, 6, 7, 8, [and] 9, and 10 of this section may be operated at a distance not to exceed ten miles from the interstate system and such routes as designated under the provisions of this subsection.
  - [11.] 12. Except as provided in subsections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, [and] 10, and 11 of this section, no other combination of vehicles operated upon the primary or interstate highways of this state plus a distance of ten miles from a primary or interstate highway shall have an overall length, unladen or with load, in excess of sixty-five feet or in excess of fifty-five feet on any other highway[, except the state highways and transportation commission may designate additional routes for use by sixty-five foot combinations, seventy-five foot stinger-steered or seventy-five foot saddlemount combinations. Any vehicle or combination of vehicles transporting automobiles, boats or other motor vehicles may carry a load which extends no more than three feet beyond the front and four feet beyond the rear of the transporting vehicle or combination of vehicles].
  - [12.] 13. (1) Except as hereinafter provided, these restrictions shall not apply to agricultural implements operating occasionally on the highways for short distances including tractor parades for fund-raising activities or special events, provided the tractors are driven by licensed drivers during daylight hours only and with the approval of the superintendent of the Missouri state highway patrol; or to self-propelled hay-hauling equipment or to implements of husbandry, or to the movement of farm products as defined in section 400.9-102 or to vehicles temporarily transporting agricultural implements or implements of husbandry or

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135 road-making machinery, or road materials or towing for repair purposes vehicles that have become disabled upon the highways; or to implement dealers delivering 136 137 or moving farm machinery for repairs on any state highway other than the 138 interstate system.

- (2) Implements of husbandry and vehicles transporting such machinery 140 or equipment and the movement of farm products as defined in section 400.9-102 may be operated occasionally for short distances on state highways when operated between the hours of sunrise and sunset by a driver licensed as an operator or 142 chauffeur. 143
  - (3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, agricultural machinery and implements may be operated on state highways between the hours of sunset and sunrise for agricultural purposes provided such vehicles are equipped with lighting meeting the requirements of section 307.115.
  - [13.] 14. As used in this chapter the term "implements of husbandry" means all self-propelled machinery operated at speeds of less than thirty miles per hour, specifically designed for, or especially adapted to be capable of, incidental over-the-road and primary offroad usage and used exclusively for the application of commercial plant food materials or agricultural chemicals, and not specifically designed or intended for transportation of such chemicals and materials.
  - [14.] 15. Sludge disposal units may be operated on all state highways other than the interstate system. Such units shall not exceed one hundred thirty-eight inches in width and may be equipped with over-width tires. Such units shall observe all axle weight limits. The [chief engineer of the state transportation department] commission shall issue special permits for the movement of such disposal units and may by such permits restrict the movements to specified routes, days and hours.
  - 304.180. 1. No vehicle or combination of vehicles shall be moved or operated on any highway in this state having a greater weight than twenty thousand pounds on one axle, no combination of vehicles operated by transporters of general freight over regular routes as defined in section 390.020 shall be moved or operated on any highway of this state having a greater weight than the vehicle manufacturer's rating on a steering axle with the maximum weight not to exceed twelve thousand pounds on a steering axle, and no vehicle shall be moved or operated on any state highway of this state having a greater weight than thirty-four thousand pounds on any tandem axle; the term "tandem axle" shall

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mean a group of two or more axles, arranged one behind another, the distance between the extremes of which is more than forty inches and not more than ninety-six inches apart.

- 2. An "axle load" is defined as the total load transmitted to the road by all wheels whose centers are included between two parallel transverse vertical planes forty inches apart, extending across the full width of the vehicle.
- 3. Subject to the limit upon the weight imposed upon a highway of this state through any one axle or on any tandem axle, the total gross weight with load imposed by any group of two or more consecutive axles of any vehicle or combination of vehicles shall not exceed the maximum load in pounds as set forth in the following table:

21	Distance in feet between the extremes									
22	of any group of two or more									
23	consecutive axles, measured to the									
24	nearest foot, except where indicated									
25	otherwise									
26	Maximum load in pounds									
27	feet	2 axles	3 axles	4 axles	5 axles	6 axles				
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32	8	34,000	34,000							
33	More than 8	38,000	42,000							
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35	10	40,000	43,500							
36	11	40,000	44,000							
37	12	40,000	45,000	50,000						
38	13	40,000	45,500	50,500						
39	14	40,000	46,500	51,500						
40	15	40,000	47,000	52,000						
41	16	40,000	48,000	52,500	58,000					
42	17	40,000	48,500	53,500	58,500					
43	18	40,000	49,500	54,000	59,000					
44	19	40,000	50,000	54,500	60,000					
45	20	40,000	51,000	55,500	60,500	66,000				
46	21	40,000	51,500	56,000	61,000	66,500				
47	22	40,000	52,500	56,500	61,500	67,000				
48	23	40,000	53,000	57,500	62,500	68,000				
49	24	40,000	54,000	58,000	63,000	68,500				
50	25	40,000	54,500	58,500	63,500	69,000				

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51	26	40,000	55,500	59,500	64,000	69,500
52	27	40,000	56,000	60,000	65,000	70,000
53	28	40,000	57,000	60,500	65,500	71,000
54	29	40,000	57,500	61,500	66,000	71,500
55	30	40,000	58,500	62,000	66,500	72,000
56	31	40,000	59,000	62,500	67,500	72,500
57	32	40,000	60,000	63,500	68,000	73,000
58	33	40,000	60,000	64,000	68,500	74,000
59	34	40,000	60,000	64,500	69,000	74,500
60	35	40,000	60,000	65,500	70,000	75,000
61	36	- 00	60,000	66,000	70,500	75,500
62	37	1011	60,000	66,500	71,000	76,000
63	38		60,000	67,500	72,000	77,000
64	39		60,000	68,000	72,500	77,500
65	40		60,000	68,500	73,000	78,000
66	41		60,000	69,500	73,500	78,500
67	42		60,000	70,000	74,000	79,000
68	43		60,000	70,500	75,000	80,000
69	44		60,000	71,500	75,500	80,000
70	45	D:1	60,000	72,000	76,000	80,000
71	46	ВП	60,000	72,500	76,500	80,000
72	47		60,000	73,500	77,500	80,000
73	48		60,000	74,000	78,000	80,000
74	49		60,000	74,500	78,500	80,000
75	50		60,000	75,500	79,000	80,000
76	51		60,000	76,000	80,000	80,000
77	52		60,000	76,500	80,000	80,000
78	53		60,000	77,500	80,000	80,000
79	54		60,000	78,000	80,000	80,000
80	55		60,000	78,500	80,000	80,000
81	56		60,000	79,500	80,000	80,000
82	57		60,000	80,000	80,000	80,000
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83 Notwithstanding the above table, two consecutive sets of tandem axles may carry a gross load of thirty-four thousand pounds each if the overall distance between the first and last axles of such consecutive sets of tandem axles is thirty-six feet or more.

4. Whenever the state highways and transportation commission finds that any state highway bridge in the state is in such a condition that use of such bridge by vehicles of the weights specified in subsection 3 of this section will endanger the bridge, or the users of the bridge, the commission may establish

maximum weight limits and speed limits for vehicles using such bridge. The governing body of any city or county may grant authority by act or ordinance to the [state highways and transportation] commission to enact the limitations established in this section on those roadways within the purview of such city or county. Notice of the weight limits and speed limits established by the commission shall be given by posting signs at a conspicuous place at each end of any such bridge.

- 5. Nothing in this section shall be construed as permitting lawful axle loads, tandem axle loads or gross loads in excess of those permitted under the provisions of [Section 127 of Title 23 of the United States Code] P.L. 97-424 codified in Title 23 of the United States Code (23 U.S.C. Section 101, et al.), as amended.
- 6. Notwithstanding the weight limitations contained in this section, any vehicle or combination of vehicles operating on highways other than the interstate highway system may exceed single axle, tandem axle and gross weight limitations in an amount not to exceed two thousand pounds. However, total gross weight shall not exceed eighty thousand pounds, except as provided in subsections 9, [and] 10, 12, and 13 of this section.
- 7. Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, the [department of transportation] **commission** shall issue a single-use special permit, or upon request of the owner of the truck or equipment, shall issue an annual permit, for the transporting of any concrete pump truck or well-drillers' equipment. The [department of transportation] **commission** shall set fees for the issuance of permits pursuant to this subsection. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.133, concrete pump trucks or well-drillers' equipment may be operated on state-maintained roads and highways at any time on any day.
- 8. Notwithstanding the provision of this section to the contrary, the maximum gross vehicle limit and axle weight limit for any vehicle or combination of vehicles equipped with an idle reduction technology may be increased by a quantity necessary to compensate for the additional weight of the idle reduction system as provided for in 23 U.S.C. Section 127, as amended. In no case shall the additional weight increase allowed by this subsection be greater than five hundred fifty pounds. Upon request by an appropriate law enforcement officer, the vehicle operator shall provide proof that the idle reduction technology is fully functional at all times and that the gross weight increase is not used for any purpose other than for the use of idle reduction technology.
  - 9. Notwithstanding any provision of this section or any other law to the

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128 contrary, the total gross weight of any vehicle or combination of vehicles hauling 129 milk, from a farm to a processing facility or livestock may be as much as, but 130 shall not exceed, eighty-five thousand five hundred pounds while operating on 131 highways other than the interstate highway system. The provisions of this 132 subsection shall not apply to vehicles operated and operating on the Dwight D. Eisenhower System of Interstate and Defense Highways. 133

- 10. Notwithstanding any provision of this section or any other law to the contrary, any vehicle or combination of vehicles hauling grain or grain coproducts during times of harvest may be as much as, but not exceeding, ten percent over the maximum weight limitation allowable under subsection 3 of this section while operating on highways other than the interstate highway system. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to vehicles operated and operating on the Dwight D. Eisenhower System of Interstate and Defense Highways.
- 11. Notwithstanding any provision of this section or any other law to the contrary, the [department of transportation] commission shall issue emergency utility response permits for the transporting of utility wires or cables, poles, and equipment needed for repair work immediately following a disaster where utility service has been disrupted. Under exigent circumstances, verbal approval of such 145operation may be made either by the department of transportation motor 146 carrier compliance supervisor or other designated motor carrier services 147148 representative. Utility vehicles and equipment used to assist utility companies granted special permits under this subsection may be operated and transported 150 on state-maintained roads and highways at any time on any day. The [department of transportation] commission shall promulgate all necessary rules and regulations for the administration of this section. Any rule or portion of a 153 rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with 154and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers 156 vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the 158 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 August 28, 2014, shall be invalid and void.
  - 12. Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, emergency vehicles designed to be used under emergency conditions to transport personnel and equipment and to mitigate hazardous situations may have a maximum gross vehicle weight of eighty-six

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thousand pounds inclusive of twenty-four thousand pounds on a single steering axle; thirty-three thousand five hundred pounds on a single drive axle; sixty-two thousand pounds on a tandem axle; or fifty-two thousand pounds on a tandem rear drive steer axle.

13. Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, a vehicle operated by an engine fueled primarily by natural gas may operate upon the public highways of this state in excess of the vehicle weight limits set forth in this section by an amount that is equal to the difference between the weight of the vehicle attributable to the natural gas tank and fueling system carried by that vehicle and the weight of a comparable diesel tank and fueling system. In no event shall the maximum gross vehicle weight of the vehicle operating with a natural gas engine exceed eighty-two thousand pounds.

307.005. For purposes of this chapter, a lamp, light, or other piece of lighting equipment consisting of multiple light-emitting diodes shall be deemed to be operating properly so long as not less than seventy-five percent of the light-emitting diodes are operating properly.

307.175. 1. Motor vehicles and equipment which are operated by any member of an organized fire department, ambulance association, or rescue squad, whether paid or volunteer, may be operated on streets and highways in this state as an emergency vehicle under the provisions of section 304.022 while responding to a fire call or ambulance call or at the scene of a fire call or ambulance call and while using or sounding a warning siren and using or displaying thereon fixed, flashing or rotating blue lights, but sirens and blue lights shall be used only in bona fide emergencies.

9 2. [Motor vehicles and equipment owned by the state highways and transportation commission or contractor or subcontractor performing work for the 10 department of transportation may use or display thereon fixed, flashing, or 11 12 rotating amber or white lights, but amber or white lights shall be used only while such vehicle is stationary in a work zone, as defined in section 304.580, when 14 highway workers, as defined in section 304.580, are present.] (1) Notwithstanding subsection 1 of this section, the following vehicles 15 may use or display fixed, flashing, or rotating red or red and blue 16 lights: 17

- 18 (a) Emergency vehicles, as defined in section 304.022, when 19 responding to an emergency;
  - (b) Vehicles operated as described in subsection 1 of this section;

(c) Vehicles owned by a contractor or subcontractor performing work for the department of transportation, except that the red or red and blue lights shall be displayed on vehicles described in this paragraph only between dusk and dawn, when such vehicles are stationary, such vehicles are located in a work zone as defined in section 304.580, highway workers as defined in section 304.580 are present, and such work zone is designated by a sign or signs.

- (2) The following vehicles may use or display fixed, flashing, or rotating amber or amber and white lights:
- (a) Vehicles owned or leased by the state highways and transportation commission and operated by an authorized employee of the department of transportation;
- (b) Vehicles owned by a contractor or subcontractor performing work for the department of transportation, except that the amber or amber and white lights shall be displayed on vehicles described in this paragraph only when such vehicles are stationary;
- (c) Vehicles operated by a utility worker performing work for the utility, except that the amber or amber and white lights shall be displayed on vehicles described in this paragraph only when such vehicles are stationary. As used in this paragraph, the term "utility worker" means any employee while in performance of his or her job duties, including any person employed under contract of a utility that provides gas, heat, electricity, water, steam, telecommunications or cable services, or sewer services, whether privately, municipally, or cooperatively owned.
- 3. Permits for the operation of such vehicles equipped with sirens or blue lights shall be in writing and shall be issued and may be revoked by the chief of an organized fire department, organized ambulance association, rescue squad, or the state highways and transportation commission and no person shall use or display a siren or blue lights on a motor vehicle, fire, ambulance, or rescue equipment without a valid permit authorizing the use. A permit to use a siren or lights as heretofore set out does not relieve the operator of the vehicle so equipped with complying with all other traffic laws and regulations. Violation of this section constitutes a class A misdemeanor.
- 407.816. 1. As used in subdivision (7) of section 407.815, the term "motor vehicle" shall not include "trailer" as such term is defined in [subdivision (60) of] section 301.010.

4 2. Prior to August 1, 2002, the provisions of section 407.817, subdivisions 5 (13), (17) and (18) of section 407.825 and section 407.826 shall not apply to

6 recreational vehicle dealers or manufacturers.

7 3. As of August 1, 2002, the term "motor vehicle" as used in sections

8 407.810 to 407.835 shall not apply to recreational vehicles as defined in section

9 407.1320.

Section B. Because of the need to protect lives on our roads and highways, the repeal and reenactment of sections 304.022 and 307.175 of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the

constitution, and the repeal and reenactment of sections 304.022 and 307.175 of

6 this act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval.

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