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Amendment to Amendment () by Representative (with title amendment)

Between lines 90 and 91 of the amendment, insert:

- (n) "Nonrepairable vehicle" means a vehicle of a type otherwise subject to registration that:
- 1. Has no resale value except as a source of parts or scrap metal or that the owner irreversibly designates as a source of parts or scrap metal or for destruction;
- 2. Has little or no resale value other than its worth as a source of a vehicle identification number that could be used illegally; and
 - a. Has been substantially stripped as a result of theft; or
- b. Is missing all of the bolt-on sheet metal body panels, all of the doors and hatches, substantially all of the interior

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components, and substantially all of the grill and light assemblies; or

- c. Is a substantially burned vehicle that:
- (I) Has burned to the extent that there are no more usable or repairable body or interior components, tires and wheels, or drive train components; or
- (II) The owner irreversibly designates for destruction or as having little or no resale value other than its worth as a source of scrap metal or as a source of a vehicle identification number that could be used illegally.

Remove lines 277-329 of the amendment and insert:

entities, of any motor vehicle or mobile home which is considered to be salvage shall, within 72 hours after the motor vehicle or mobile home becomes salvage, forward the title to the motor vehicle or mobile home to the department for processing. However, an insurance company which pays money as compensation for total loss of a motor vehicle or mobile home shall obtain the certificate of title for the motor vehicle or mobile home and, within 72 hours after receiving such certificate of title, shall forward such title to the department for processing and make the required notification to the National Motor Vehicle

Title Information System. The owner, or insurance company, or self-insured entity as the case may be, may not dispose of a vehicle or mobile home that is a total loss before it has obtained a salvage certificate of title or certificate of

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destruction from the department. When applying for a salvage certificate of title or certificate of destruction, the owner, or insurance company, or self-insured entity must provide the department with an estimate of the costs of repairing the physical and mechanical damage suffered by the vehicle for which a salvage certificate of title or certificate of destruction is sought. If the motor vehicle is a nonrepairable vehicle estimated costs of repairing the physical and mechanical damage to the vehicle are equal to 80 percent or more of the current retail cost of the vehicle, as established in any official used car or used mobile home quide, the department shall declare the vehicle a nonrepairable vehicle unrebuildable and print a certificate of destruction, which authorizes the dismantling or destruction of the motor vehicle or mobile home described therein by a licensed salvage motor vehicle dealer. However, if the damaged motor vehicle is equipped with custom-lowered floors for wheelchair access or a wheelchair lift, the insurance company may, upon determining that the vehicle is repairable to a condition that is safe for operation on public roads, submit the certificate of title to the department for reissuance as a salvage rebuildable title and the addition of a title brand of "insurance-declared total loss." The certificate of destruction shall be reassignable a maximum of two times before dismantling or destruction of the vehicle shall be required, and shall accompany the motor vehicle or mobile home for which it is issued, when such motor vehicle or mobile home is sold for such purposes, in lieu of a certificate of title, and, thereafter, the department shall refuse issuance of any certificate of title PCB THSS 13-01 AA1

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for that vehicle. Nothing in this subsection shall be applicable when a vehicle is worth less than \$1,500 retail in undamaged condition in any official used motor vehicle guide or used mobile home guide or when a stolen motor vehicle or mobile home is recovered in substantially intact condition with all major component parts present and is readily resalable without extensive repairs to or replacement of the frame or engine. Any person who knowingly violates this paragraph or falsifies any document to avoid the requirements of this paragraph commits a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

TITLE AMENDMENT

Remove lines 1247-1250 of the amendment and insert: defining the terms "National Motor Vehicle Title Information System," "nonrepairable vehicle," and "self-insured entity" in connection with the dismantling, destruction, change of identity of motor vehicles or mobile homes, and the salvage of such vehicles; providing for the department to declare certain vehicles as nonrepairable and print a certificate of destruction; permitting a

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