

REVENUE: No revenue impact
FISCAL: Fiscal statement issued

Action: Do Pass the A-Engrossed Measure and Be Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means by
Prior Reference
Vote: 4 - 0 - 1
Yeas: George, Monnes Anderson, Prozanski, Shields
Nays: 0
Exc.: Baertschiger
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Meeting Dates: 5/24

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Allows person to provide odometer reading to Department of Transportation for vehicle that is 10 years old or older. Requires Department retain most recent version of reading in electronic form. Allows Department to develop form for such disclosure.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Effects of odometer fraud
- Fraudulent odometer reading on vehicle causes inflated vehicle prices
- Current practice of Department is to keep records only on vehicles less than 10 years old
- Many people voluntarily provide odometer readings on older vehicles

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Currently, upon transfer of an interest in a vehicle, the transferor must provide a disclosure of the odometer reading on the vehicle to the transferee, unless the vehicle falls within a certain exemption. For vehicles that are at least ten years old, no odometer reading is required.

House Bill 3137-A requires the Department of Transportation to retain disclosures of odometer readings that are provided on vehicles ten years old or older.