

STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Business and Transportation

Fiscal: Has minimal fiscal impact

Revenue: No Revenue Impact

Action Date: 05/04/15

Action: Do Pass The A-Eng Bill.

Meeting Dates: 05/04

Vote:

Yeas: 5 - Beyer, Girod, Monroe, Riley, Thomsen

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Repeals obsolete laws related to transportation and motor vehicle laws. Declares an emergency, effective on passage.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Value and process of deleting obsolete statutes

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

In 2014, the Legislative Assembly enacted House Bill 4133, directing the Office of Legislative Counsel and the Department of Justice to review statutes each biennium to identify outdated, obsolete and duplicative laws. Legislative Counsel may prepare measures to repeal or amend the statutes identified, with a report accompanying each measure explaining the reason each statute is proposed to be repealed or amended. The report must be distributed to legislators and made available to the public 90 days before the start of each odd-numbered year legislative session, and entered into the legislative record accompanying each measure. If any of the measures are subsequently amended, the report must be revised to reflect the changes made.

House Bill 2912A is one of a series of measures introduced for the 2015 session prepared by Legislative Counsel under the requirements set forth in House Bill 4133; it repeals obsolete laws relating to transportation and motor vehicle laws.