

SB22-009

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

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1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 8, after line 19 insert:

2 "SECTION 4. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add 42-4-318 as
3 follows:

4 **42-4-318. Exception to enforcement in cases of catalytic**
5 **converter theft - unavailability of replacement catalytic converter -**
6 **repeal.** (1) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, AN
7 INDIVIDUAL MAY TEMPORARILY OPERATE A MOTOR VEHICLE WITHOUT A
8 CATALYTIC CONVERTER IF:

9 (a) THE CATALYTIC CONVERTER HAS BEEN STOLEN FROM THE
10 MOTOR VEHICLE;

11 (b) THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE HAS
12 REPORTED THE THEFT TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY;

13 (c) THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE HAS MADE
14 A REASONABLE EFFORT TO OBTAIN A REPLACEMENT CATALYTIC
15 CONVERTER FOR THE VEHICLE, INCLUDING ORDERING A REPLACEMENT
16 CATALYTIC CONVERTER; AND

17 (d) WHEN THE MOTOR VEHICLE IS IN OPERATION, THE OPERATOR
18 OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE POSSESSES RECEIPTS OR OTHER PAPERWORK
19 DOCUMENTING THE ORDER FOR A REPLACEMENT CATALYTIC CONVERTER.

20 (2) THE EXCEPTION DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION
21 APPLIES SO LONG AS A CATALYTIC CONVERTER REMAINS UNAVAILABLE
22 TO THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A MOTOR VEHICLE.

23 (3) THE SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2027.
24 BEFORE THE REPEAL, THE EXCEPTION DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF
25 THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY THE DEPARTMENT OF
26 REGULATORY AGENCIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-34-104.

27 **SECTION 5.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-34-104, add
28 (28)(a)(VII) as follows:

29 **24-34-104. General assembly review of regulatory agencies**
30 **and functions for repeal, continuation, or reestablishment - legislative**
31 **declaration - repeal.** (28) (a) The following agencies, functions, or both,
32 are scheduled for repeal on September 1, 2027:

33 (VII) THE EXCEPTION DESCRIBED IN SECTION 42-4-318
34 CONCERNING THE PERMISSIBLE USE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE FROM WHICH A
35 CATALYTIC CONVERTER HAS BEEN STOLEN."

36 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

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