

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to motor vehicles; requiring a  
3           report on motor vehicle accidents caused by all  
4           types of driver distractions; creating s.  
5           316.0075, F.S.; preempting regulation of  
6           operator or passenger use of commercial mobile  
7           radio services to the state; providing an  
8           effective date.

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10   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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12           Section 1. The Department of Highway Safety and Motor  
13 Vehicles shall collect data concerning motor vehicle accidents  
14 involving driver distractions beginning January 1, 2002. The  
15 department shall report such data accompanied by a report  
16 analyzing the data collected and the impact of driver  
17 distraction on crashes. The data and report are to be  
18 presented to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of  
19 the House of Representatives by February 28, 2003.

20           Section 2. Section 316.0075, Florida Statutes, is  
21 created to read:

22           316.0075 Operator use of commercial mobile radio  
23 services and electronic communications devices.--Regulation of  
24 operator or passenger use of commercial mobile radio services  
25 and other electronic communications devices in a motor vehicle  
26 is expressly preempted to the state.

27           Section 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
28 law.

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