

FOR CONSIDERATION By the Committee on Transportation

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1 A bill to be entitled

2 An act relating to a review of the Department of Highway
3 Safety and Motor Vehicles under the Florida Government
4 Accountability Act; reenacting s. 20.24, F.S., relating to
5 the establishment of the department; providing an
6 effective date.

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8 WHEREAS, ss. 11.901-11.920, Florida Statutes, the Florida
9 Government Accountability Act, subjects the Department of
10 Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles and its respective advisory
11 committees to a sunset review process in order to determine
12 whether the agency should be retained, modified, or abolished,
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14 WHEREAS, the Department of Highway Safety and Motor
15 Vehicles produced a report providing specific information, as
16 enumerated in s. 11.906, Florida Statutes, and

17 WHEREAS, upon receipt of the report, the Joint Legislative
18 Sunset Committee and committees of the Senate and the House of
19 Representatives assigned to act as sunset review committees
20 reviewed the report and requested studies by the Office of
21 Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability, and

22 WHEREAS, based on the department's report, studies of the
23 Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government
24 Accountability, and public input, the Joint Legislative Sunset
25 Committee and legislative sunset review committees made
26 recommendations on the abolition, continuation, or
27 reorganization of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor
28 Vehicles and its advisory committees; on the need for the
29 functions performed by the agency and its advisory committees;

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30 and on the consolidation, transfer, or reorganization of
31 programs within the Department of Highway Safety and Motor
32 Vehicles, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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36 Section 1. Section 20.24, Florida Statutes, is reenacted.

37 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.