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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability  
(Brandes) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete lines 42 - 53  
and insert:  
based on the lowest lifetime ownership costs over 5 years as  
determined by the Department of Management Services. On an  
annual basis, the department shall rank vehicles based on the  
lowest cost of ownership over 5 years using available industry  
data and publish the rankings on the department's website. Any  
vehicle that is a sedan or a light truck and is purchased under



11 ~~a state purchasing plan must be ranked in the top five of the~~  
12 ~~department's rankings unless an exception is approved by the~~  
13 ~~secretary of the department and the secretary states the reason~~  
14 ~~for the exception. Law enforcement vehicles are exempt from the~~  
15 ~~top-five ranking requirement for the greatest fuel efficiency~~  
16 ~~available for a given use class when fuel economy data are~~  
17 ~~available. Exceptions may be made for individual vehicles in~~  
18 ~~paragraph (g) when accompanied, during the procurement process,~~  
19 ~~by documentation indicating that the operator or operators will~~  
20 ~~exclusively be emergency first responders or have special~~  
21 ~~documented need for exceptional vehicle performance~~  
22 ~~characteristics. Any request for an exception must be approved~~  
23 ~~by the purchasing agency head and any exceptional performance~~  
24 ~~characteristics denoted as a part of the procurement process~~  
25 ~~prior to purchase.~~

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27 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

28 And the title is amended as follows:

29       Between lines 5 and 6

30 insert:

31       requiring the Department of Management Services, using  
32       available industry data, to rank certain vehicles  
33       based on the lowest lifetime ownership costs over a  
34       specified number of years, rather than fuel  
35       efficiency, and to publish the rankings to the  
36       department's website; requiring that certain vehicles  
37       purchased under a state purchasing plan be ranked at a  
38       specified level unless an exception is approved by the  
39       department secretary; exempting law enforcement



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vehicles from the ranking requirement;