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95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR STOUFFER.

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To repeal section 301.218, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to salvage vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 301.218, RSMo, is repealed and one new section
2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 301.218, to read as follows:

301.218. 1. No person shall, except as an incident to the sale, repair,
2 rebuilding or servicing of vehicles by a licensed franchised motor vehicle dealer,
3 carry on or conduct the following business unless licensed to do so by the
4 department of revenue under sections 301.217 to 301.229:

5 (1) Selling used parts of or used accessories for vehicles as a used parts
6 dealer, as defined in section 301.010;

7 (2) Salvaging, wrecking or dismantling vehicles for resale of the parts
8 thereof as a salvage dealer or dismantler, as defined in section 301.010;

9 (3) Rebuilding and repairing four or more wrecked or dismantled vehicles
10 in a calendar year as a rebuilder or body shop, as defined in section 301.010;

11 (4) Processing scrapped vehicles or vehicle parts as a mobile scrap
12 processor, as defined in section 301.010.

13 2. Sales at a salvage pool or a salvage disposal sale shall be open [only to
14 and made to persons actually engaged in and holding a current license under
15 sections 301.217 to 301.221 and 301.550 to 301.573 or any person from another
16 state or jurisdiction who is legally allowed in his or her state of domicile to
17 purchase for resale, rebuild, dismantle, crush, or scrap either motor vehicles or
18 salvage vehicles,] **to persons who are residents of the United States**, and
19 to persons who reside in a foreign country that are purchasing salvage vehicles

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

20 for export outside of the United States. Operators of salvage pools or salvage
21 disposal sales shall keep a record, for three years, of sales of salvage vehicles
22 with the purchasers' name and address, and the year, make, and vehicle
23 identification number for each vehicle. These records shall be open for inspection
24 as provided in section 301.225. Such records shall be submitted to the
25 department on a quarterly basis.

26 3. The [seller of] **operator of a salvage pool or salvage disposal**
27 **sale, or subsequent purchaser, who sells** a nonrepairable motor vehicle or
28 a salvage motor vehicle to a person who is not a resident of the United States at
29 a salvage pool or a salvage disposal sale shall:

30 (1) Stamp on the face of the title so as not to obscure any name, date, or
31 mileage statement on the title the words "FOR EXPORT ONLY" in capital letters
32 that are black; and

33 (2) Stamp in each unused reassignment space on the back of the title the
34 words "FOR EXPORT ONLY" and print the number of the dealer's salvage vehicle
35 license, name of the salvage pool, or the name of the governmental entity, as
36 applicable.

37 The words "FOR EXPORT ONLY" required under subdivisions (1) and (2) of this
38 subsection shall be at least two inches wide and clearly legible. Copies of the
39 stamped titles shall be forwarded to the department.

40 4. The director of revenue shall issue a separate license for each kind of
41 business described in subsection 1 of this section, to be entitled and designated
42 as either "used parts dealer"; "salvage dealer or dismantler"; "rebuilder or body
43 shop"; or "mobile scrap processor" license.

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