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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2017 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Representative Magee to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 107 by Senator White

1	AMENDMENT NO. 1
2 3	On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "enact" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 32:1261(A)(1)(k) and to"
4	AMENDMENT NO. 2
5 6	On page 1, line 5, after the semi-colon ";" and before "and" insert "to modify certain requirements regarding sales or offers to sell made directly to a consumer;"
7	AMENDMENT NO. 3
8	On page 1, delete line 7 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:
9 10	"Section. 1. R.S. 32:1261(A)(1)(k) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 32:1254(O) is hereby enacted to read as follows:"
11	AMENDMENT NO. 4
12	On page 1, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:
13 14	** * * * \$1261. Unauthorized acts
15	A. It shall be a violation of this Chapter:
16	(1) For a manufacturer, a distributor, a wholesaler, distributor branch, factory
17	branch, converter or officer, agent, or other representative thereof:
18	* * *
19	(k)(i) To sell or offer to sell a new or unused motor vehicle directly to a
20	consumer except as provided in this Chapter, or to compete with a licensee in the
21	same-line makes, models, or classifications operating under an agreement or
22	franchise from the aforementioned manufacturer. A manufacturer shall not, however,
23	be deemed to be competing when any one of the following conditions are is met:
24	(aa) Operating a an existing, licensed, and franchised motor vehicle
25	dealership temporarily for a reasonable period, not to exceed two years.

1	(bb) Operating a bona fide retail an existing, licensed, and franchised
2	motor vehicle dealership which is for sale to any qualified independent person at
3	a fair and reasonable price, not to exceed two years.
4	(cc) Operating in a bona fide relationship in which a person independent of
5	a manufacturer has made a significant investment subject to loss in the dealership,
6	and can reasonably expect to acquire full ownership of such dealership on reasonable
7	terms and conditions.
8	(ii) After any of the conditions have been met under Subitems (aa) and (bb)
9	of Item (i) of this Subparagraph, the commission shall <u>may</u> allow the manufacturer
10	to compete with licensees of the same-line makes, models, or classifications under
11	an agreement or franchise from said manufacturer continue operating an existing,
12	<u>licensed</u> , and franchised motor vehicle dealership for longer than two years when,
13	in the discretion of the commission, the best interest of the manufacturer, consuming
14	public, and licensees are best served.
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