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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2016 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Representative Schexnayder to Engrossed House Bill No. 337 by Representative Schexnayder

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 32:190(A)," insert 402.3(C), 408(C)(1), (2), and (3) and to
3 enact R.S. 32:190(A)(2), and 408(C)(4),"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 2, after "helmets" insert "requirements"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, line 4, after "twenty-one"and the semicolon ";" and before "and" insert "to
8 require certain motor vehicle operators to have certain insurance; to require applicants for
9 motorcycle endorsements to complete a training course; to provide for the administering of
10 motorcycle training courses;"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 4

12 On page 1, delete line 6 in its entirety and insert the following:

13 "Section 1. R.S. 32:190(A), 402.3(C), and 408(C)(1), (2), and (3) are hereby
14 amended and reenacted and R.S. 32:190(A)(2), and 408(C)(4) are hereby enacted to
15 read as follows:"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 5

17 On page 1, line 8, after "A." and before "No" insert "(1)"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 6

19 On page 1, after line 15, add the following:

20 "§402.3. Motorcycle Safety, Awareness, and Operator Training Program; fund
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22 C.(1) ~~Participation~~ Until December 31, 2016, participation in the program
23 shall be voluntary for any person who meets the qualifications of the Department of
24 Public Safety and Corrections to apply for a motorcycle operator's endorsement.
25 Those persons who satisfactorily complete the program shall receive a motorcycle
26 operator's endorsement without the necessity of taking a written knowledge test or
27 an operator's skill test.

28 (2) On January 1, 2017, and thereafter, participation in the program
29 administered by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall be voluntary
30 for any person who meets the qualifications of the Department of Public Safety and
31 Corrections to apply for a motorcycle operator's endorsement. However, those
32 persons who satisfactorily complete the program shall only receive a motorcycle
33 operator's endorsement upon successful completion of a written knowledge test and
34 an operator's skill test.

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"§408. Examination of applicants required; classes of licenses

C.(1) Motorcycles, motor driven cycles, and motorized bicycles shall not be given a separate class, as such, but their use shall be provided for by making an endorsement on one of the basic classes outlined in this Section. Such an endorsement shall be made only after the applicant has taken and successfully passed tests specifically designed for the operation of such vehicles. ~~No~~ Until December 31, 2016, no written knowledge test or operator's skill test shall be required if an applicant has successfully completed the Motorcycle Safety, Awareness, and Operator Training Program provided in R.S. 32:402.3. Beginning January 1, 2017 and thereafter, any applicant for a motorcycle operator endorsement shall complete a motorcycle training course, a written knowledge test, and an operator's skill test prior to receiving such endorsement.

(2) Any applicant seeking the endorsement required by this Paragraph shall submit a certificate of successful completion of a motorcycle training course to the office of motor vehicles at the time of application for such endorsement. The certificate shall be issued by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, Renegade Harley-Davidson, the Motorcycle Safety Foundation, or any person licensed by or contracted with the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, public safety services, to train or instruct driving courses, provided such person is a Motorcycle Safety Foundation certified RiderCoach.

~~(2)~~ (3) The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply to motorcycles, motor driven cycles, and motorized bicycles under five horsepower. Their operation shall not require a license or endorsement.

~~(3)~~ (4) The provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection shall not apply to autocycles as defined by R.S. 32:401. As such, the operation of an autocycle shall not require a special endorsement but shall only require that the operator hold a valid driver's license.

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