HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 318 by Senator Gary Smith

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2 On page 2, delete lines 3 through 21 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(iii) A fleet owner or governmental entity that is authorized to perform warranty repairs on any of the following vehicles owned or leased by the fleet owner or governmental entity:

(aa) Those with a gross vehicle weight rating of twelve thousand pounds or more.

(bb) Those designed for the movement of property, freight, or goods in intrastate or interstate commerce.

10 (cc) Those designed for use in utility installation, maintenance, and 11 <u>repair.</u>

(iv) The dealer that sold the vehicles listed in Item (iii) of this Subparagraph to the fleet owner or governmental entity may and a manufacturer that authorized the fleet owner or governmental entity to perform warranty repairs on the vehicles described in Item (iii) of this Subparagraph shall give notification of the authorization to the dealer located in the same community or territory where the fleet owner or governmental entity intends to perform the authorized warranty repairs. The notification shall include the type of warranty repairs authorized by the manufacturer.

(v) A fleet owner or governmental entity performing warranty repairs to the vehicles listed in Item (iii) of this Subparagraph shall meet the same requirements for special tools, equipment, and technician certification that are required of a franchise dealer that is authorized to make the same warranty repairs on the same makes and models of vehicles being repaired by a fleet owner or governmental entity.

(vi) A fleet owner or governmental entity authorized to perform warranty repairs to the vehicles listed in Item (iii) of this Subparagraph shall not make repairs to the internal drive train or the after-treatment exhaust system of such vehicles.

(vii) For the purposes of Items (iii) through (vii) of this Subparagraph, "fleet owner or governmental entity" shall mean a person who or unit of government that owns or leases for its own use or a renting or leasing company that rents to a third party ten or more of the vehicles listed in Item (iii) of this Subparagraph. *

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