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Sponsor Statement for House Bill 10 by Representative Bill Stoltze

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The passage of House Bill 10 would establish a new type of registration available through the Division of Motor Vehicles allowing for the permanent registration of trailers for personal, non-commercial use.

The proposed change to state statutes calls for the addition of a one-time \$100 fee to register personal-use trailers as long as the registered owner owns the vehicle. It also allows for the continuation of the \$30 biennial registration fee, already existing in the statutes.

The change would bring registration of non-commercial trailers in-line with current statutes for commercial trailers, which have had the luxury of permanent registration for years.

The increased charge for permanent registration (\$100) will help offset some of the lost revenue within the Division of Motor Vehicles created by the new type of registration.

Permanent registration will also help reduce the workload within the DMV and make the registration process more user-friendly to the people of the State of Alaska.

I appreciate your support in this important legislation.