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AN ACT

Relating to registration of commercial and noncommercial motor vehicles; and providing for an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

THE ACT FOLLOWS ON PAGE 1, LINE 10

UNDERLINED MATERIAL INDICATES TEXT THAT IS BEING ADDED TO THE LAW AND BRACKETED MATERIAL IN CAPITAL LETTERS INDICATES DELETIONS FROM THE LAW; COMPLETELY NEW TEXT OR MATERIAL REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED IS IDENTIFIED IN THE INTRODUCTORY LINE OF EACH BILL SECTION.

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AN ACT

Relating to registration of commercial and noncommercial motor vehicles; and providing for an effective date.

* Section 1. AS 28.10.121(a) is amended to read:

(a) A nonresident owner of a noncommercial vehicle registered outside the state is exempt from the registration provisions of this chapter for 60 [90] days after entry into the state if the vehicle at all times when driven in this state is registered in and has displayed upon it a currently valid registration plate issued for it by another jurisdiction. However, if the person becomes gainfully employed in the state or takes action that [WHICH] indicates an intention to acquire residence in the state, the person shall comply with the licensing and registration provisions of this chapter within 10 [15] days of commencement of employment or of taking action that [WHICH] indicates the person's intention to acquire residence. If the vehicle is a commercial vehicle, the vehicle must be registered when its commercial use begins except as provided in AS 28.10.011 and 28.10.-131(c) [IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 28.10.141 AND OTHER APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THIS CHAPTER].

* Sec. 2. AS 28.10.121 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(d) It is the responsibility of the person claiming exemption under this section to provide proof of qualification for the exemption.

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1 * Sec. 3. AS 28.10.131(a) is amended to read:

2 (a) If a vehicle to be registered under this chapter is pre-
3 viously registered outside the state, the jurisdiction of registry
4 shall be stated in the application, and the owner shall surrender to
5 the department all evidence of out-of-state registration in the
6 owner's [HIS] possession or control except as provided in this section
7 or AS 28.10.141, and the department may require verification of the
8 vehicle identification number.

9 * Sec. 4. AS 28.10.131 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

10 (c) If the owner of a commercial vehicle desires to maintain
11 title in another jurisdiction, the department, when satisfied that the
12 applicant is temporarily operating in-state and is the lawfully regis-
13 tered owner of the commercial vehicle, may register the commercial
14 vehicle without issuing a title and shall type or stamp on the face of
15 the State of Alaska certificate of registration "No Title Issued."

16 * Sec. 5. AS 28.10.141 is amended to read:

17 Sec. 28.10.141. INTERSTATE USE OF VEHICLES. When, in the course
18 of regular interstate operation in this state [OF] a commercial vehi-
19 cle licensed by the Interstate Commerce Commission under 49 U.S.C.
20 1-1240 (Interstate Commerce Act) or regulated by the Federal Maritime
21 Commission under 46 U.S.C. 804 (Interstate Commerce Act) is registered
22 in another jurisdiction, and it is desirable to retain the registra-
23 tion and title of the vehicle in the other jurisdiction, the owner or
24 an agent of the owner shall register the vehicle and pay all required
25 fees and taxes and submit for inspection the certificate of registra-
26 tion issued by that jurisdiction. The department, when satisfied that
27 the applicant is entitled to the exemption from the title requirements
28 of this chapter, shall register the vehicle but may not issue a cer-
29 tificate of title. [NOTICE OF THE FACT THAT THE VEHICLE IS REGISTERED

IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION SHALL APPEAR ON THE CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION ISSUED BY THIS STATE AND IN THE RECORDS OF THE DEPARTMENT MAINTAINED UNDER AS 28.10.071.]

* Sec. 6. AS 28.10.151 is amended to read:

Sec. 28.10.151. VEHICLES TRANSPORTED UNDER SPECIAL PERMITS. When moved or driven under a special permit to be designed and issued by the department, the registration required by this chapter is not required of

(1) a vehicle under construction and which is not completed;

(2) a vehicle while being moved from one place to another for the purpose of inspection, weighing, or meeting other requirements of the department; or

(3) a vehicle while being moved or driven from one location to another for the purpose of rebuilding, dismantling, or permanently removing the vehicle from the highways and vehicular ways and areas of the state;

(4) an unladen commercial vehicle making a single continuous trip by a noncircular route for a period of time not exceeding 10 days.

* Sec. 7. AS 28.10.151 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(b) A special permit issued under this section shall be prominently displayed.

* Sec. 8. AS 28.10.201(d) is amended to read:

(d) Except for vehicles registered under AS 28.10.131(b) or (c) and 28.10.141, the department may not register a vehicle unless the applicant for registration at the same time applies for and obtains a certificate of title under this chapter, or presents satisfactory evidence that a certificate of title was previously issued to the

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1 applicant. The department may not accept the application for the
2 original certificate of registration or title to a vehicle unless the
3 vehicle is in the state at the time of application. However, the
4 department may accept an application for registration and certificate
5 of title for a vehicle which is not in the state when the application
6 is made by a registered and bonded dealer or by a resident of the
7 state when the application is accompanied by a manufacturer's
8 statement of origin, or in the case of a used vehicle, when the
9 application is accompanied by a certificate of title issued in another
10 jurisdiction [AND A CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION BY A PEACE OFFICER OF
11 THAT JURISDICTION STATING THAT THE VEHICLE HAS BEEN DETERMINED TO BE
12 THE VEHICLE DESCRIBED IN THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE AND THAT THE VEHICLE
13 HAS NOT BEEN REPORTED STOLEN].

14 * Sec. 9. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).
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