

Amendment No. 722

Senate Amendment to Senate Bill No. 161

(BDR 40-252)

Proposed by: Senate Committee on Finance**Amends:** Summary: Yes Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes

ASSEMBLY ACTION				Initial and Date	SENATE ACTION				Initial and Date	
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EXPLANATION: Matter in (1) ***blue bold italics*** is new language in the original bill; (2) ***green bold italic underlining*** is new language proposed in this amendment; (3) ~~red strikethrough~~ is deleted language in the original bill; (4) ~~purple double strikethrough~~ is language proposed to be deleted in this amendment; (5) orange double underlining is deleted language in the original bill that is proposed to be retained in this amendment; and (6) ***green bold*** is newly added transitory language.

JLW/BJE



Date: 5/15/2007

S.B. No. 161—Revises the requirements for the inspection of motor vehicles for the control of emissions. (BDR 40-252)



SENATE BILL NO. 161—~~[SENATOR]~~ **SENATORS COFFIN, TITUS, BEERS, CEGAVSKE,
MATHEWS, RAGGIO AND RHOADS**

FEBRUARY 26, 2007

Referred to Committee on Natural Resources

SUMMARY—~~[Revises the requirements for the inspection of motor vehicles for the control of emissions.]~~ **Exempts hybrid electric vehicles, for a certain period, from the program for the control of emissions from motor vehicles.** (BDR 40-252)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: May have Fiscal Impact.
Effect on the State: Yes.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in ***bolded italics*** is new; matter between brackets ~~[omitted material]~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to air pollution; ~~[providing for additional exemptions from the requirements for the inspection of motor vehicles for the control of emissions,]~~ **exempting hybrid electric vehicles from the program for the control of emissions from motor vehicles until the model year of the vehicle is 6 years old;** and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Under existing law, the State Environmental Commission and the Department of Motor Vehicles must conduct a program for the control of emissions from motor vehicles in designated areas of a county whose population is 100,000 or more (currently Clark and Washoe Counties). (NRS 445B.770; NAC 445B.593, 445B.594) In those areas, a motor vehicle which has been registered for not less than 2 years may not be registered without evidence that the vehicle: (1) is equipped with the pollution control devices required by state and federal law; and (2) has passed an inspection to ensure that the devices are operating properly. **(NRS 445B.800, 445B.815) Existing law further authorizes the Commission to exempt designated classes of motor vehicles from the program for the control of emissions. (NRS 445B.825) This bill exempts hybrid electric vehicles that are 5 years old or less from the emissions program.**

~~[Sections 1 and 2 of this bill increase from 2 years to 3 years the period during which a motor vehicle may be registered without the submission of evidence that it complies with those requirements. Section 2 also provides that a hybrid electric vehicle may be registered without the submission of evidence that it complies with those requirements.]~~

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 **Section 1.** ~~NRS 445B.758 is hereby amended to read as follows:~~
2 ~~445B.758 “Used motor vehicle” means a motor vehicle that has been~~
3 ~~registered for not less than [2] 3 years with:~~
4 ~~1. The Department of Motor Vehicles;~~
5 ~~2. The appropriate agency of any other state, the District of Columbia, any~~
6 ~~territory or possession of the United States, any foreign country or any state or~~
7 ~~province of a foreign country; or~~
8 ~~3. Any combination of the agencies described in subsections 1 and 2.]~~
9 **(Deleted by amendment.)**

10 **Sec. 2.** NRS 445B.825 is hereby amended to read as follows:
11 445B.825 1. The Commission may provide for exemption from the
12 provisions of NRS 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive, of designated classes of motor
13 vehicles, including , **without limitation**, classes based upon the year of manufacture
14 of motor vehicles.

15 2. ~~[The Commission shall provide for exemption from the provisions of~~
16 ~~NRS 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive, of:~~
17 ~~(a) A motor vehicle that has been registered for not less than 3 years; and~~
18 ~~(b)] A hybrid electric vehicle , as defined in 40 C.F.R. § 86.1702-99 [.] , is~~
19 ~~exempt from the provisions of NRS 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive, until the~~
20 ~~model year of the vehicle is 6 years old.~~

21 3. The Commission shall provide for a waiver from the provisions of NRS
22 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive, if compliance involves repair and equipment
23 costs which exceed the limits established by the Commission. The Commission
24 shall establish the limits in a manner which avoids unnecessary financial hardship
25 to motor vehicle owners.

26 **Sec. 3.** ~~[This act becomes effective on July 1, 2007.]~~ **(Deleted by**
27 **amendment.)**