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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB750

Chairperson: Senator Curt Friesen

Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

Date of Hearing: January 18, 2022

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB750 is proposed legislation that amends, revises, and harmonizes certain laws relating to the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). The bill allows for motorboats and vehicles to have the designation of transfer-on-death on certificate of titles; allows for the DMV to charge the cost of postage and handling to mail specialty license plates; allows for Former Military Vehicles to tow various trailers; allows the DMV to accept a mobile driver's license from another state in order to waive certain testing requirements and to notify that state to cancel the driver's license; it changes the eight hour driver improvement course for drivers under 21 to four hours to be consistent with the requirements for other drivers; the bill extends the term of the learners permit (LPE) from three months to six months in accordance with the requirement that in order to obtain a Provisional Operators License, the individual must have six months of driving time with the LPE. The bill also harmonizes and removes various obsolete statutory language.

The bill will allow for the DMV to continue the modernization of the motor carrier services system by allowing for registration periods for apportioned vehicles to be monthly, quarterly, or yearly and sets a date for delinquency; it allows the Motor Carriers Services Division to charge actual fees for postage and handling for apportioned plates and registrations and to remit those fees to the Motor Carrier Services Cash Fund; the bill also remits all fees, interest, and penalties from the International Fuel Tax Agreement to the Highway Trust Fund.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Curt Friesen