
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 599 Session of
2019

INTRODUCED BY SABATINA, FARNESE, BREWSTER, AUMENT, YUDICHAK AND
TARTAGLIONE, APRIL 30, 2019

REFERRED TO CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE,
APRIL 30, 2019

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of December 22, 1983 (P.L.306, No.84), entitled
2 "An act providing for the State Board of Vehicle
3 Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons; and providing
4 penalties," in vehicles, further providing for grounds for
5 disciplinary proceedings and for off-premise sales, shows,
6 exhibitions or rallies on Sundays.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. Sections 318(10) and 333 of the act of December
10 22, 1983 (P.L.306, No.84), known as the Board of Vehicles Act,
11 renumbered or amended October 24, 2018 (P.L.816, No.134), are
12 amended to read:

13 Section 318. Grounds for disciplinary proceedings.

14 In addition to any criminal or civil penalties otherwise
15 provided in this act, the board shall have the power to formally
16 reprimand, suspend or revoke any license or refuse to issue or
17 renew any license of an applicant or licensee or a person
18 required to be licensed under this act, if after due notice of
19 and hearing, the person charged is found in violation of or

1 fails to carry out the acts and procedures set forth in this act
2 or is found guilty of committing or attempting to commit any of
3 the acts set forth in section 322 or any of the following acts:

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5 (10) Having engaged in the buying, selling, exchanging,
6 trading or otherwise dealing in vehicles on Sunday in
7 violation of 18 Pa.C.S. § 7365 (relating to trading in motor
8 vehicles and trailers) [.] , except that:

9 (i) Manufactured housing is permitted to be sold on
10 Sundays by licensed manufactured housing dealers without
11 being subject to prosecution under this paragraph.

12 (ii) Licensed motorcycle dealers are permitted to
13 buy, sell, exchange, trade or otherwise deal in
14 motorcycles on Sunday without being subject to
15 prosecution under this paragraph.

16 (iii) Motor vehicles are permitted to be sold on
17 Sundays by normal vehicle business dealers under section
18 333(5) without being subject to prosecution under this
19 paragraph.

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21 Section 333. [Off-premise sales] Sales, shows, exhibitions or
22 rallies on Sundays.

23 (1) The following shall be permitted to be open on
24 Sundays:

25 (i) Off-premise vehicle sales, shows and
26 exhibitions.

27 (ii) Recreational vehicle shows, recreational
28 vehicle off-premise sales, recreational vehicle
29 exhibitions and recreational vehicle rallies.

30 (2) Except as provided in paragraphs (3) [and] , (4) and

1 (5), normal vehicle business practices shall be allowed at
2 off-premise sales, vehicle shows or exhibitions on Sunday
3 except that no final sales contract may be consummated on a
4 Sunday.

5 (3) Normal vehicle business practices shall be allowed
6 at recreational vehicle shows, recreational vehicle off-
7 premise sales, recreational vehicle exhibitions and
8 recreational vehicle rallies. Recreational vehicle dealers
9 are permitted to consummate final sales contracts on Sundays.

10 (4) Manufactured housing dealers are permitted to
11 consummate final sales contracts on Sundays.

12 (5) Normal vehicle business dealers shall be permitted
13 to be open Sundays for on-premise sales and shall be
14 permitted to consummate final sales contracts on Sundays.

15 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.